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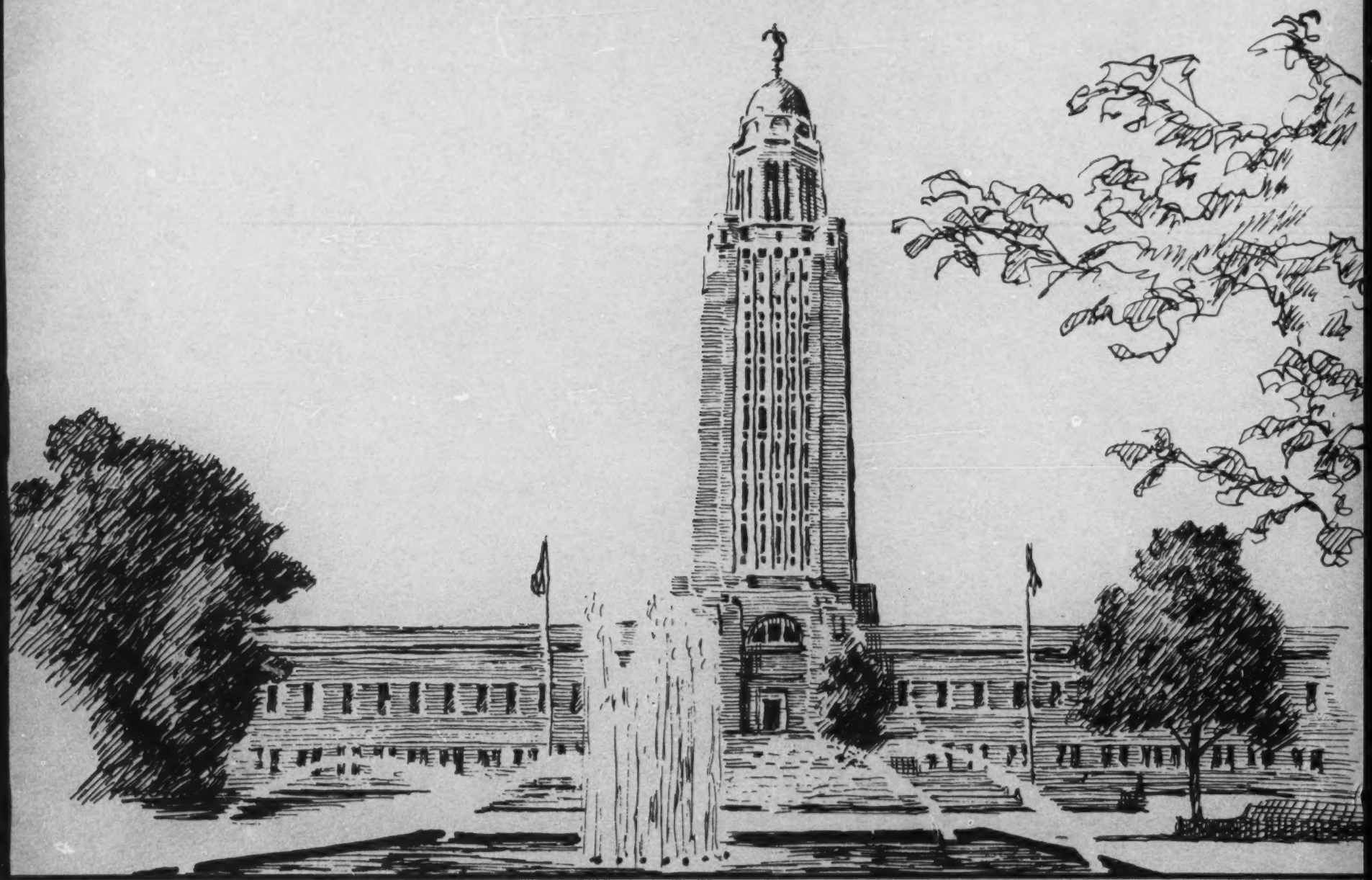

Nebraska Department of Public Welfare

1982 Annual Report

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August 9, 1982

The Honorable Charles Thone
Governor of Nebraska
State Capitol Building
Lincoln, NE 68509

Dear Governor Thone:

This Annual Report of the Department of Public Welfare is submitted for your consideration and information. Its purpose is to provide statistical and comparative data for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1982, as required by Statute, Section 68-703 (9), Cum. Supp. 1980.

We thank the Governor, members of the legislature, members of the advisory committees, and the staff of the State and County Departments for the assistance and support given in carrying out our responsibilities to the people of Nebraska.

Sincerely,

Donald E. Gerber
Acting State Director

During fiscal year 1982 numerous changes were made to the Aid to Dependent Children (ADC) Program. The Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1981 (OBRA) changed the program's eligibility criteria, budget calculations, and payment policies.

Federal eligibility for the program was tightened by legislation making ineligible the following cases or individuals:

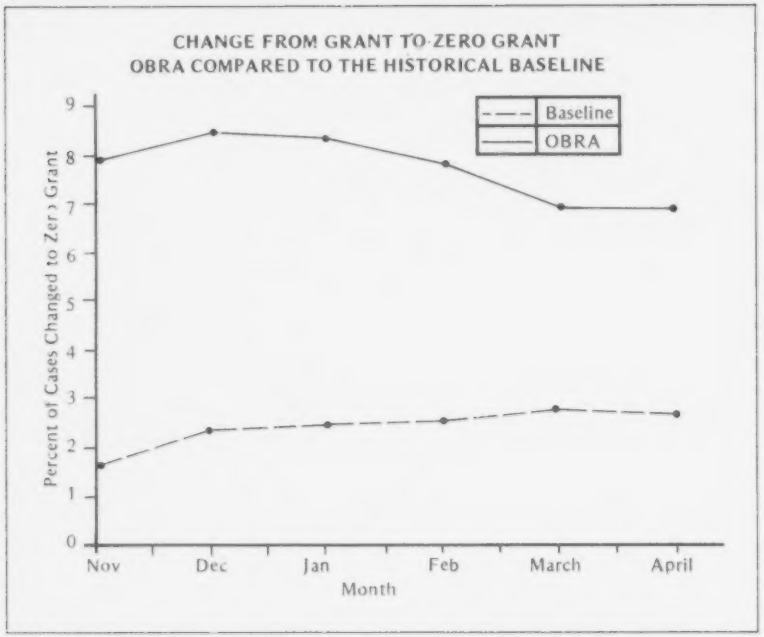
1. Cases whose income exceeds 150% of the State's standard of need;
2. Dependents 19 years and older and 18-year-old dependents who would not finish high school by their nineteenth birthday;
3. Unborn babies (previously counted the same as other dependent children in determining the family's need);
4. Pregnant women in the first to fifth months of pregnancy who do not have other eligible dependents; and
5. Cases whose countable resources exceed $1,000. (Resources such as an owner occupied house or a vehicle needed for transportation for work or medical services are disregarded.)

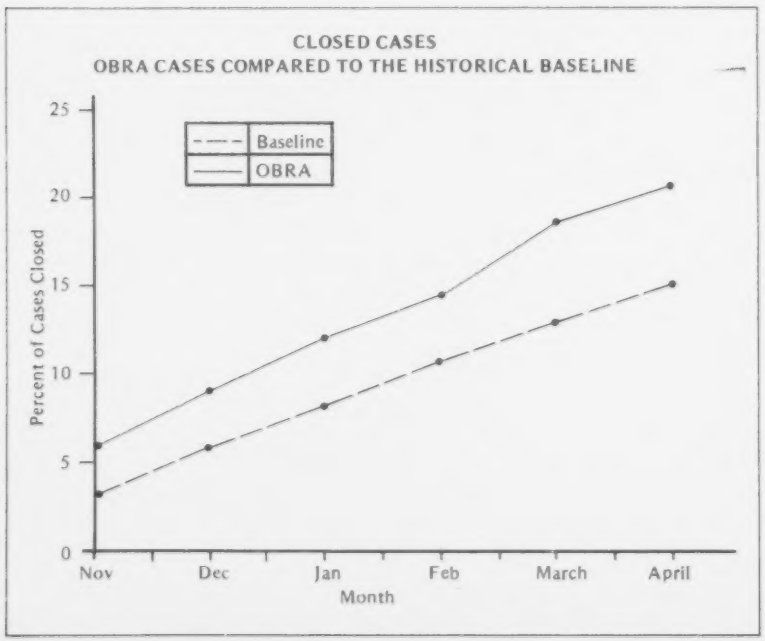
Cases eligible for a payment of ten dollars or less remained eligible for Medicaid but could no longer receive a cash payment.

During the 1981 special legislative session, the Nebraska Unicameral decided to continue to cover, with state funds, the cost of payments to unborn babies and pregnant women. It also decided to cover the grant payments of $10 or less until July, 1982.

Restrictions were increased on the amount of earned income a case could have and still be eligible for assistance. Prior to the change, ADC recipients who were employed were allowed to deduct from their gross earnings (1) the first $30 plus one-third of the remaining earnings; (2) withholding taxes; and (3) $40 for work-related expenses. The remaining earnings were used in figuring the amount of the ADC grant. Since the change, such recipients are allowed to deduct from their gross earnings (1) $75 for work related expenses or $70 if they are employed only part-time; (2) 30 additional dollars plus 1/3 of the remaining income. The "30 and 1/3" deduction is applied only to the first four months of a recipient's earnings. After that the ADC grant is reduced dollar for dollar by any earnings except those deducted for work related expenses. An additional requirement is that Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) is counted as income in calculating the ADC grant. Previously, it was disregarded. Some of the impact of these changes can be seen in the fact that approximately 19% of the ADC grant cases had earned income at the beginning of fiscal year 1982 compared to 11% at the end of the fiscal year.

By the end of the first six months under the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act there were an estimated 1,345 more case closings, switches from grant to zero grant status, and reductions in unit size in those cases active at the time of the OBRA implementation, than would have been expected based on the previous year's experiences. The grant amount of additional cases was affected. The estimated savings on the original cases during fiscal year 1982 was $1.5 million. The largest savings came from additional case closings and changes from grant status to zero grant status. The two charts show the difference between the expected closings and zero grants, based on the previous year, and the activities of the first six months under the OBRA. Additional savings came from the effect of the more restrictive eligibility criteria on the approval and denial of new applications and lower payments to some of those cases which were approved.





The combination of changing economic conditions of the state and the implementation of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act made it impossible to isolate completely the impact of either the OBRA or the economy. The net impact of the OBRA and the economic difficulties was to reduce the ADC-Regular average monthly case load by about 1,000 cases from the beginning of the year to the end of the year. The economy appeared to have more of an effect than the regulation changes on the ADC-Unemployed Parent Program. That average monthly case load doubled between the months prior to the OBRA and the final months of fiscal year 1982.

The Food Stamp Program was affected by the new ADC regulations as well as by changes to Food Stamp regulations which increased restrictions on eligibility and modified benefit levels. Households targeted by the changes were those with higher incomes, more than one food stamp unit, and strikers.

Under the new regulations, most parents and children living together are considered one household. Previously, the potential existed for several groups within one home to receive food stamps if they purchased, prepared and stored their food separately. For example, a single mother and her child living with, but cooking separately from, her parents and brothers and sisters could have been considered a separate household for food stamp purposes; now they would all be considered one household. The exception to this regulation is that a parent at least 60 years of age, who lives with his or her children, and purchases, prepares and stores meals separately, may be considered a separate household.

Households with a member involved in a strike or planned work slowdown who apply for food stamps must have been eligible based on their income immediately prior to the strike, according to the new regulations. When determining eligibility, the income of the household is considered to be the income from the struck job as it was immediately prior to the strike, along with any other income received by the household including strike benefits.

A gross income eligibility test is now applied to households not having an aged, blind, or disabled member. The gross monthly income of the household, minus disregarded income, must be less than 130% of the Office of Mangement and Budget's non-farm poverty guidelines for the household's size.

Prior to the 1982 changes, a household received food stamps for the entire month in which its application was approved. Now the amount of food stamps received for the initial month is prorated to the date of application. New cases therefore, receive fewer dollars worth of food stamps their first month than they would have before the changes.

The above changes tended to reduce the food stamp caseload and benefits whereas the economic conditions were a force towards larger caseloads. The ADC changes were probably a factor in shifting cases from the public assistance (PA) category to the non-public assistance category (NPA) of food stamp recipients, although the lack of a computerized food stamp system prevents the tracking of individual cases. Comparing the four months of fiscal year 1982 prior to implementation of most of the regulation changes with the eight final months of the year reveals an increase in average monthly food stamp cases of 4.1% or 1,136 cases. By category this reflected a 4.0% decrease in PA cases and 8.5% increase in NPA cases.

Administration

The Nebraska Department of Public Welfare consists of a state central office, five area field offices, and the Nebraska Center for Children and Youth. Welfare programs are administered in each county by county divisions of public welfare, under the supervision of the State Department. As of June 30, 1982, there were 1,739 state and county welfare employees.

The Department conducts programs in three major areas: income maintenance, medical services, and social services. These programs, and the central office divisions primarily responsible for them, are discussed in detail in subsequent chapters. Besides the program divisions, the Central Office is composed of several administrative divisions, offices and units.

The function of the area field offices is to provide supporting services to counties and foster care services to state wards, under the direction of central office administration. Technical assistance for all programs is provided by Director's Representatives and through Policy Assistance Lines located in the Central Office which counties may call toll-free.

County divisions are governed by county boards of public welfare and administer the public welfare programs at the local level. Although most counties administer the total welfare program, some county boards have combined the social services functions of their counties with those of several other adjoining counties to form multi-county service units. The staff of these units provide social services for all counties in the units.

LB 522, passed during the 1982 Unicameral session, will bring all county welfare offices under the direct administration of the State Department of Public Welfare rather than county boards. According to law, this change will take place July 1, 1983.

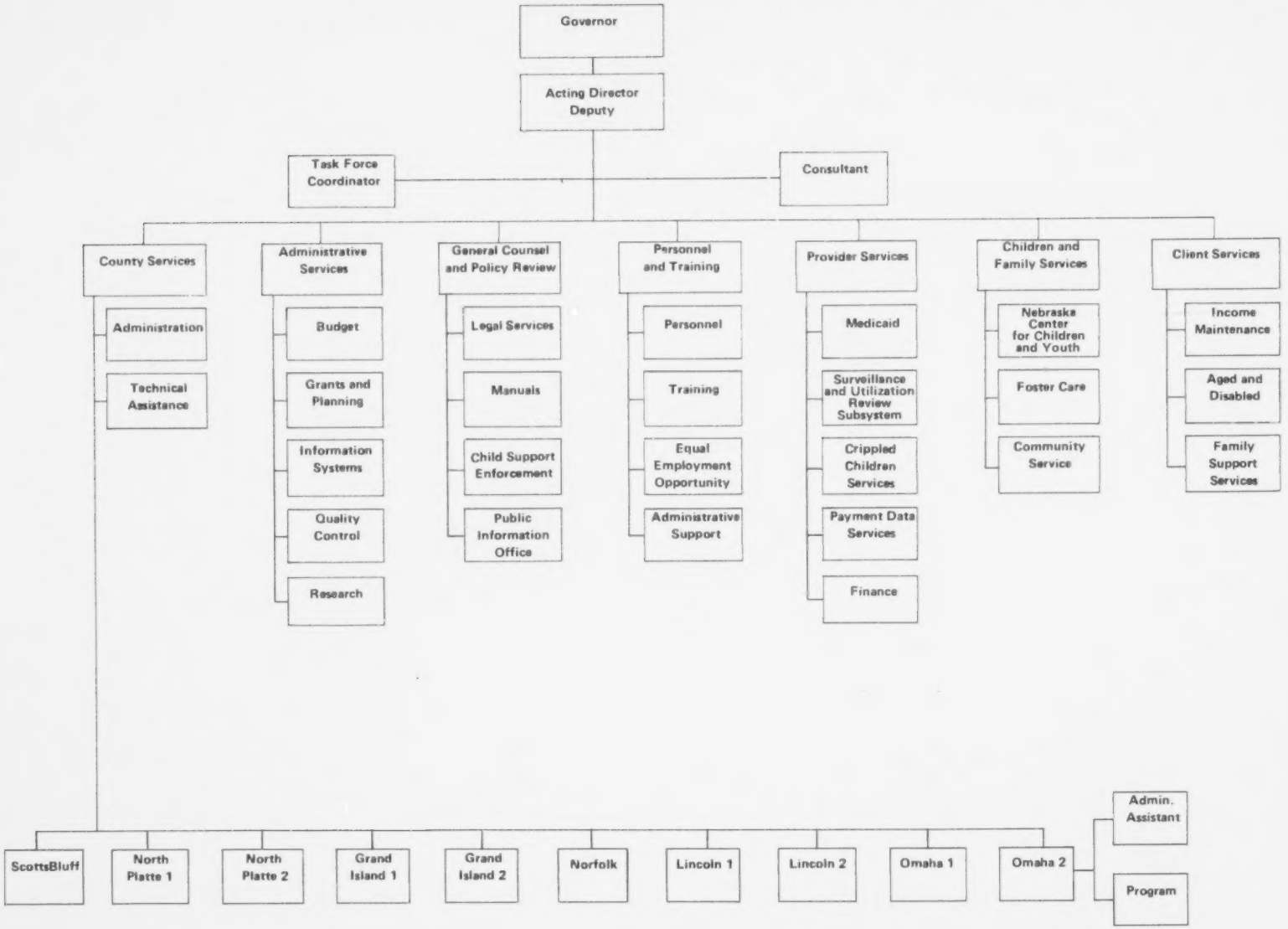
Personnel and Training

The Division of Personnel and Training administers a merit system of personnel administration for both state and county employees. During the year, a settlement was reached between Douglas County Social Services and Local 2088 of the American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees over a dispute dating back to 1979.

A Caseworker series of job classifications was developed for possible replacement of the present system of separate income maintenance and social service workers. County staff would be converted to this series at the request of individual counties. Work will soon begin on a Public Service Administrator series to bring administrative classifications into line with those defined by the State Department of Personnel.

The Training Unit is responsible for all training activities originating within the agency and for monitoring the training contracted for with outside agencies or institutions. The unit is developing training modules for the new Caseworker series and planning the massive training program that will be necessary to implement the County Information Support System (CISS).

Organizational Structure of the Department of Public Welfare



Finance and Accounting

The Division of Finance and Accounting is responsible for maintaining fiscal control over all expenditures of the Department at both state and local levels. The Accounting Unit processes all routine vouchers for administrative costs and program payments for the agency. It also submits all required federal reports. The Medicaid Reimbursement Unit reviews cost reports from hospitals and long term care facilities and processes payment adjustments due either the provider or the Department. The Long Term Care Audit Unit performs field audits in long term care facilities. The Child Support Unit records and distributes all child support payments received. All income for state wards is received and recorded by the State Wards Account Unit. This unit also processes payments from state wards' funds. The Fiscal Audit Unit audits each county welfare office administrative fund quarterly.

Administrative Support

The Division of Administrative Support is comprised of two units. The Mail and Supply Unit processes mail and receives and disposes of supplies and equipment. The Word Processing Unit prepares typewritten communications for the entire Department. The division is also responsible for planning utilization of office space and purchasing equipment. It provides liaison for building, telephone, and transportation services and manages the Department's security system for personnel records and equipment.

Field Services

Direct administrative assistance and some program assistance are made available to counties by Director's Representatives under the Division of Field Services. Having divided the state into ten areas, each served by a DR, the Department can provide frequent visits and continuity of service to each county. Major emphasis this year continued to be placed on contacting individuals and human services agencies which serve the same clientele as DPW. The object of this contact is to achieve better coordination and communication among those serving the same clients, with the clients being the ultimate beneficiaries of improved working relationships.

STATEMENT OF DISBURSEMENTS[1]

Actual Program Costs	FY 1982
Refugee Resettlement Program	$ 1,539,321
Child Welfare Services	5,508,373
Work Incentive Program (WIN)	183,672
State Supplement to SSI	5,285,186
ADC Grant Payments	48,739,947
Medicaid	136,191,482
Emergency Assistance	116,570[2]
Catastrophic Illness	79,470[2]
Title XX Purchased Services (Except Mental Retardation)	8,476,317
Title XX Purchased Services (Mental Retardation)	5,302,704
State Disability Program – Medical	755,770
State Disability Program – Maintenance	176,687
Services for Crippled Children	2,512,887
Nebraska Center for Children and Youth	3,209,170
Nebraska Energy Assistance	13,757,764
Community Services	1,613,379
Miscellaneous	405,781
Total Program Costs	**$233,854,480**
Local Administration Costs	
County Welfare Offices	19,526,008[2]
Multi-County Service Units	610,081
Total Local Administration Costs	**20,136,089**
State Administration Costs	
Work Incentive Program (WIN)	64,144
Training	158,596
Food Stamps	390,795
Food Distribution	68,666
Income Maintenance	557,637
Social Services	1,176,754
Medicaid	1,720,849
Licensing	188,824
Supportive Units and Divisions	7,692,374
Child Support Enforcement Unit	1,363,025
Special Grants	78,262
Division of Technical Assistance	153,721
Nebraska Energy Assistance	66,498
Miscellaneous	69,536
Total State Administration Costs	**$ 13,749,681**
Total Department of Public Welfare Disbursements	**$267,740,250**

[1]These figures represent net expenditures adjusted for refunds and cancellations and do not necessarily correspond to gross expenditure figures used in the narrative and tables sections of this report.

[2]State and federal funds only, county share not included.

Budget Office

The Budget Office is responsible for coordinating the preparation of the Department's annual state budget request. The Budget Officer prepares budget forms and presents the state budget to executive and legislative agencies. This year, the primary goal of the office was to present cost cutting alternatives to the administration which produced the necessary results without large reductions in personnel.

Research and Statistics

The Division of Research and Statistics plans, organizes, and directs statistical and research activities for the Department. In addition to federal reporting on welfare programs, the division conducts special studies and research projects relating to these programs and makes recommendations based on such studies. These findings are used by the State Director and other divisions as the basis for administrative decisions. The division also helps in preparing program budget estimates and requests for appropriations.

Payments and Data Services

The Division of Payments and Data Services is responsible for supporting all phases of the Nebraska welfare program in its document processing role. The division is organized into sub-groups that are responsible for recipient grant payments, social services payments, medical payments, and the agency's computer data entry functions. Personnel in each of these payments processing groups must know and understand agency policies to process the forms and claims in compliance with agency requirements.

The Medicaid Inquiry service supplies medical providers with answers regarding Medicaid policy, Medicaid billing procedures, and resolution of payment problems.

An increasingly important area of medical claims processing is the Third Party Liability (TPL) function. This section reviews medical claims to determine whether a payment may be avoided or recovered from a source other than Medicaid. This TPL source of payment has increased substantially over the past year. It requires staff interaction with other states, other state agencies, insurance companies, and various local and state law enforcement offices.

Program Evaluation and Review

The Division of Program Evaluation and Review performs quality control reviews and associated analyses for the Department's programs of Aid to Dependent Children, Medicaid, and Food Stamps. After having experimented with reviewers conducting reviews on all three programs, the division has returned to the former system of reviewers specializing in one type of review. The anticipated integration of all three programs under one quality control system was delayed by the federal government.

To provide relief to states from atypical error rates, the ADC-QC program was modified for a one year period to allow states to distinguish between errors caused by implementation of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act amendments and other errors. The errors caused by the amendments will not be counted in the state's error rate for the implementation period.

Technical Assistance

For the first quarter of fiscal year 1982, the Division of Technical Assistance served as state liaison between the federal Community Services Administration (CSA) and its grantees, the community action agencies. The division provided general and specialized assistance to the nine community action agencies and acted as an advocate on behalf of Nebraska's low-income citizens.

The Omnibus Reconciliation Act of 1981 abolished the CSA and authorized a new Community Services Block Grant, effective October 1, 1982. Block grant funds are intended to promote self-sufficiency for low-income individuals by providing services in such areas as employment, education, housing, emergency assistance, and nutrition. Technical Assistance staff is now involved with monitoring activities of the fund grantees, working with local officials, and providing information to the Nebraska Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

Office of the General Counsel

The General Counsel heads the Department's legal staff. The Assistant General Counsel and staff attorneys provide legal advice and services to the Department. These involve interpreting federal laws and regulations, state statutes, and the administrative rules and regulations of the Department and drafting contracts, regulations, and legislation.

The legal staff also conducts fair hearings for welfare applicants and recipients who appeal decisions made regarding welfare benefits, and assists in the investigation and preparation of welfare fraud cases for prosecution by county attorneys.

The attorneys conduct public hearings that are required by state statute before the adoption of rules and regulations for the Department, assist the Attorney General's Office with welfare-related litigation and serve as the agency's contact with the Governor's office and other state agencies involved in certification of the Department's regulations.

Child Support Enforcement

The Child Support Enforcement Unit is responsible for locating absent parents, establishing paternity of children, and collecting child support. See the Income Maintenance section for further information on this program.

Manuals Unit

The Manuals Unit writes, issues, and maintains the official rules and regulations for the Department. Unit staff members are responsible for the public hearing and certification process as mandated by the Administrative Procedures Act. Transmittal of State Plan material to the appropriate federal office is another important function of the unit. Rewrite of all Department manuals continues to be a priority assignment of the unit; however, because of massive legislative changes, both state and federal, the project has taken longer than was originally anticipated. Staff members continue to work closely with other divisions and units to produce a manual that is a workable tool for communication of the rules and regulations of the Department of Public Welfare.

Public Information and Graphics Design

The staff newsletter, the Intercom, is published by Public Information. News releases, photographs, and other communication aids prepared by Public Information inform the staff and general public of activities of the Department.

The Graphics Design Unit is responsible for forms development, forms management, design of pamphlets, and other visual aids and art for the Department. Reduction of the number of Department forms is a major goal of Graphics Design.

Information Systems

The Information Systems Unit is responsible for managing the Department's computer support capabilities. For ongoing systems, this includes work order development, system problems resolution, maintenance evaluation, and authorization of work to be performed. The unit also controls the Department's data processing budget and equipment inventories. It maintains liaison with Central Data Processing and other entities in matters relating to data processing.

Unit staff evaluate new equipment and new system proposals and develop the conceptual design of new systems, then test and implement them. Currently, the unit is developing the new County Information Support System (CISS). The implementation of CISS is scheduled for July, 1983, to further support the conversion to state administration.

The figures presented in the narrative, graphs, and tables in this section and in the tables in the back of this report represent gross expenditure figures. They do not necessarily correspond to the figures in the Statement of Disbursements (Administration section) which represent net expenditures adjusted for refunds and cancellations.

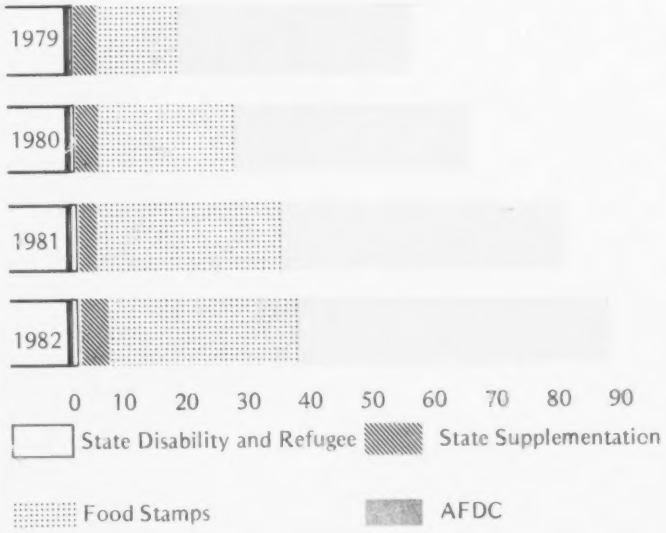
Income maintenance programs are those which provide cash payments to needy individuals and families who meet certain eligibility requirements. Policy is formulated and implemented statewide for these programs which include Aid to Dependent Children, State Supplement, Food Stamps, Emergency Assistance, State Disability, Refugee Resettlement, and Energy Assistance. During fiscal year 1982, income maintenance expenditures totaled $100,972,063, 10.8 percent over expenditures for fiscal year 1981.

Aid to Dependent Children

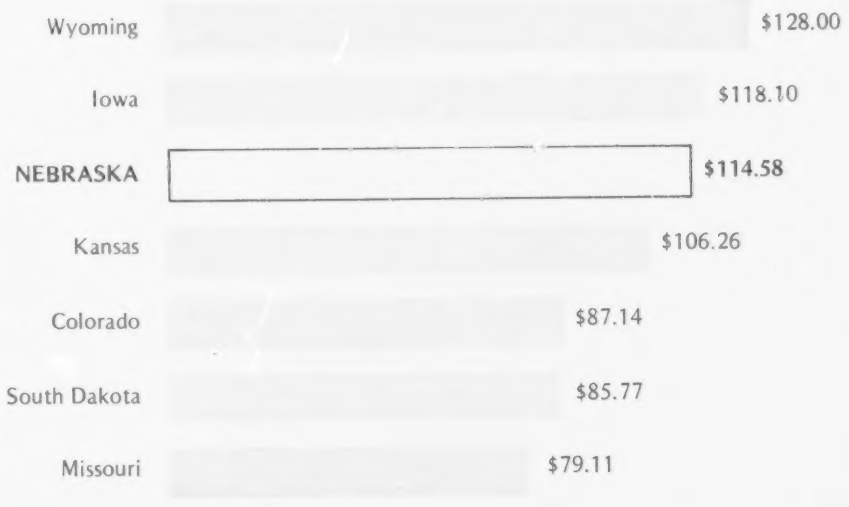
Aid to Dependent Children provides maintenance payments to children under 18 years of age who are deprived of parental support or care because of the death, continued absence from the home, physical or mental incapacity of a parent, or partial or total unemployment of the primary wage earner. The three categories of Aid to Dependent Children are regular, foster care, and unemployed parent.

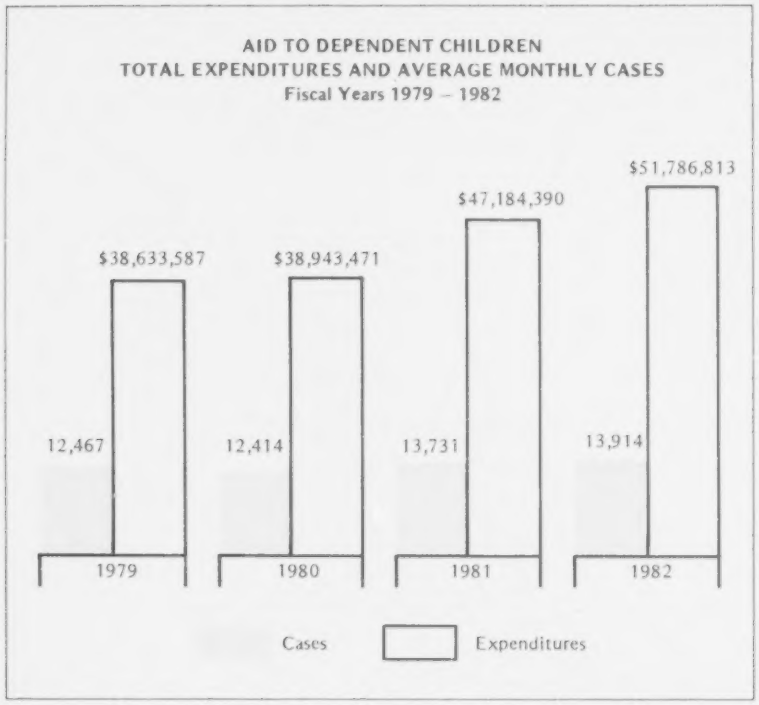
ADC payments in fiscal year 1982 totaled $51,786,813, a 9.8 percent increase over last year. A monthly average 13,914 families received payments, a 1.3 percent increase from the previous fiscal year. The average monthly payment per family was $310.16 and per individual, $112.54.

INCOME MAINTENANCE PAYMENTS
Fiscal Years 1979 – 1982
(In Millions)



AVERAGE PAYMENT PER ADC RECIPIENT
IN NEBRASKA AND SURROUNDING STATES
June, 1982





State Supplement

The federally administered Supplemental Security Income (SSI) Program established uniform national income and resource requirements and payment standards for aged, blind, and disabled persons seeking financial assistance. The purpose of the State Supplement Program is to add to the federal benefits to bring the income of eligible persons up to the need standards of Nebraska which are higher than the standardized needs recognized by the SSI program.

Some persons who are not eligible for SSI payments, because of excess income, qualify for a State Supplement payment. Therefore, State Supplement cases consist of two groups - those which receive both SSI and a supplement and those receiving a state supplement only.

In July, the standard of need was raised to $218 plus a housing allowance of up to $140 for one person. State Supplement payments to aged, blind, or disabled Nebraskans totaled $5,370,255 for fiscal year 1982, a 26.8 percent increase from the previous year. An average of 8,238 cases per month received an average payment of $54.33 per case. This was a 33.1 percent increase in average case load and a 4.7 percent decrease in average payment.

SSI AND STATE SUPPLEMENT CASES
AVERAGE MONTHLY NUMBER OF CASES
Fiscal Years 1979 – 1982

Years	SSI and State Supplement	State Supplement Only	Total State Supplement Cases	State Supplement Cases		
				Aged	Blind	Disabled
Fiscal Year 1979	5,479	1,454	6,933	2,861	118	3,954
Fiscal Year 1980	5,522	1,402	6,924	2,736	112	4,076
Fiscal Year 1981	4,972	1,215	6,187	2,300	103	3,784
Fiscal Year 1982	6,843	1,395	8,238	3,358	134	4,746

Refugee Resettlement Program

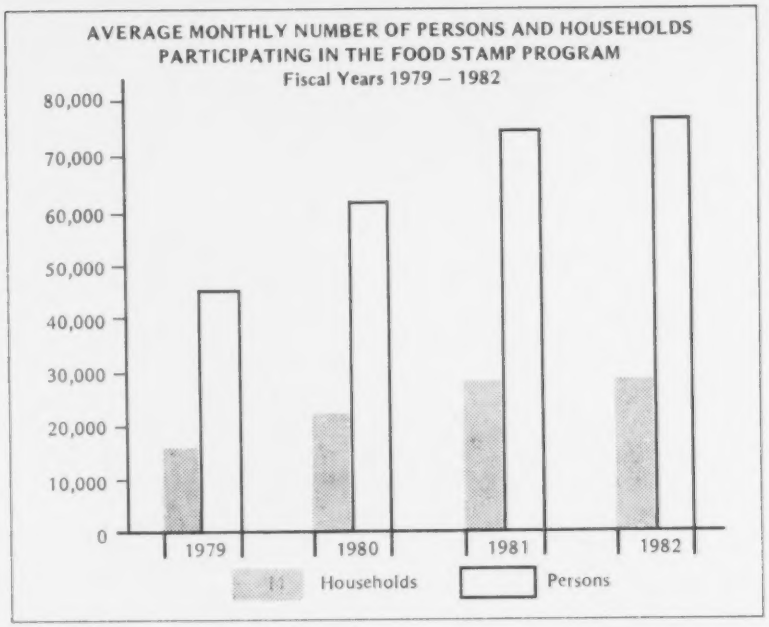
The Refugee Resettlement Program provides financial assistance to refugees who have been resettled in the United States. According to federal instructions, any refugees requesting help must first apply to regular categorical programs. If they do not meet the requirements of these programs, an eligibility determination is made for the Refugee Resettlement Program. In fiscal year 1982, money payments to needy refugees were $864,517. Special services including vocational training and English language classes were provided at a cost of $317,032. An eighteen month limit on eligibility for this program was imposed during the fiscal year.

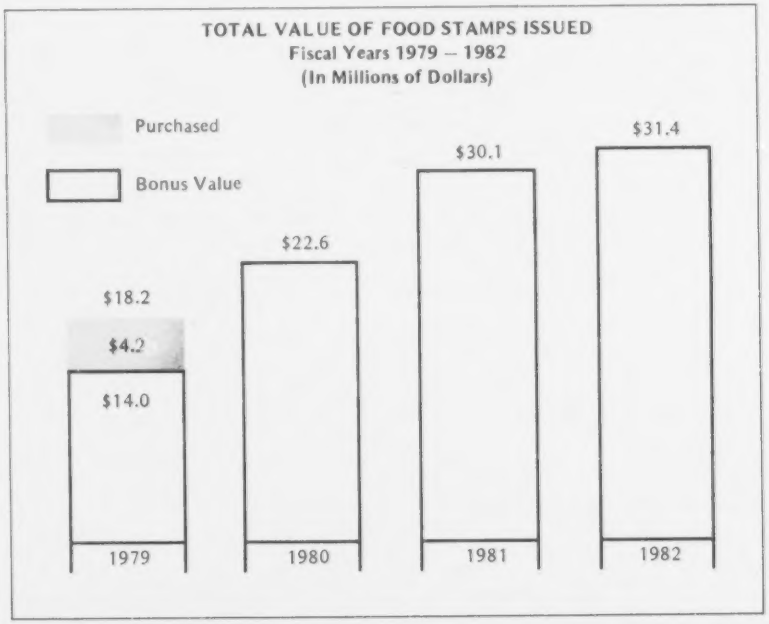
See the Medical Assistance section for information on the medical portion of this program.

Food Stamps

The objective of the Food Stamp Program is to raise the level of nutrition among low-income households. It promotes the distribution of agricultural abundance in a manner which strengthens the agricultural economy. Participation in the Food Stamp Program is based on household size and adjusted net income in relation to the Office of Management and Budget's Poverty Guidelines.

During this fiscal year, an average of 76,712 persons in 28,242 households participated in the Food Stamp Program each month. This represents an increase over fiscal year 1981 of 3.3 percent in the number of persons per month and 1.8 percent in the number of households per month. The average monthly number of households included 9,345 public assistance households (those in which all members of the household are ADC recipients) and 18,897 non-public assistance households. The total value of coupons issued for fiscal year 1982 was $31,434,356 with an average value per household of $92.75 per month.





State Disability

The State Disability Program provides aid to needy persons who have a disability expected to last for at least six months, but less than the 12 months required to be eligible for Supplemental Security Income.

State Disability maintenance payments this fiscal year were $192,240 or 16.4 percent less than last year. The number of cases dropped from a monthly average of 89 last year to 62 this year. The average payment per case was $260.14.

See the Medical Assistance section for information on the medical portion of this program.

Emergency Assistance

Emergency Assistance is provided to needy families with minor children in situations where other resources are not readily available. Examples of situations for which assistance is available are imminent evictions, loss of utility service, or exhaustion of food supplies.

Emergency Assistance payments were made this year to 5,070 people and cost $229,687. This was a decrease in both persons and expenditures over last year. About 12.5 percent of recipient families also received ADC.

See the Medical Assistance section for information on the medical portion of this program.

Nebraska Energy Assistance Program

The Nebraska Energy Assistance Program is a federally funded program designed to assist low-income households in meeting rapidly increasing energy costs. As of June 30, 1982, $11,094,095 had been spent to pay heating costs of the 1981-82 winter for 35,442 households consisting of 96,263 persons. Of the total households assisted, 11,867 had elderly members and 3,997 had handicapped members.

Assistance to persons with a medical need for cooling was funded for the summer months of calendar year 1982. Approximately $1.5 million was budgeted for this program.

WIN

The Work Incentive Program (WIN) is administered jointly by the Department of Public Welfare and the Department of Labor. The purpose of the program is to prepare ADC recipients for paid employment through a comprehensive program of work experience, education, and training, coupled with supporting social services. WIN currently operates in several counties, but not statewide.

The supporting social services that WIN recipients are eligible to receive are counseling, day care, family planning, medical services, and a clothing allowance to purchase necessary apparel for specific jobs. During fiscal year 1982, 1,814 average persons per quarter received these services. DPW's portion of WIN program expenditures was $100,942 which was used to purchase day care for 382 children.

Food Distribution Program

The Food Distribution Program receives food from the U.S. Department of Agriculture which it distributes to schools, charitable and correctional institutions, nutrition programs for the elderly, summer camps, special summer feeding programs, and commodity supplemental feeding programs.

During fiscal year 1982, foods were distributed for daily meal service to 184,132 children in the child nutrition programs, to 7,206 institutional recipients, and to 6,600 individuals in nutrition programs for the elderly. Foods were also issued to summer camps, migrant programs, and special summer feeding programs. A total of 9,341,470 pounds of food was distributed at a cost of $451,209 for warehouse and transportation charges.

Five hundred thousand pounds of cheese were distributed free of charge to the eligible needy throughout Nebraska, beginning a few weeks after President Reagan made it available last December. The Nebraska National Guard, U.S. Army Reserve, county welfare divisions, Department of Roads, community action agencies, and Nebraska common carriers delivered this product. It was issued by county welfare offices, community action agencies, the Salvation Army, food banks, and nutritional programs for the elderly.

PARTICIPATION IN FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM
Fiscal Year 1982

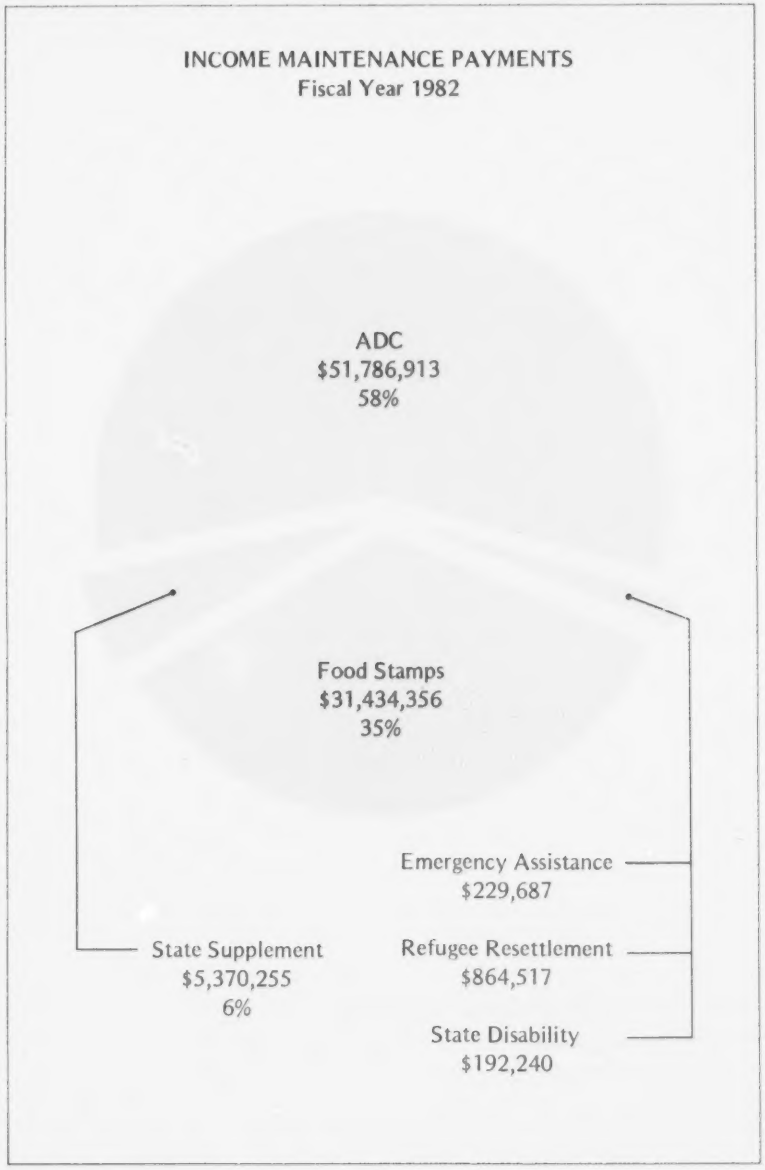
Type of Program	Number of Programs	Average Monthly Number of Participants	Food (Pounds)
Child Nutrition Programs	504 programs 1,124 feeding sites	184,132	8,451,746
Institutions	115	7,206	594,697
Child Care Program	11 distribution centers	542	46,458
Summer Camps	42	23,575	33,666
Nutrition Programs for the Elderly	2 projects 39 feeding sites	6,600	202,022
All Other Programs	7	3,557	12,881
Total			**9,341,470**

Child Support Enforcement Program

The Child Support Enforcement Program, under Title IV-D of the Social Security Act, provides legal services to establish paternity and to establish and enforce court orders for child support. In addition, it monitors child support collections and provides services to locate absent parents. ADC expenditures are offset by the collection of delinquent child support, a part of which is retained by the state to reimburse the state for ADC expenditures made to families in need.

The state IV-D staff, in fiscal year 1982, began working to develop and implement the Internal Revenue Service Intercept Program, the Unemployment Compensation Benefit Intercept Program and the Case Handling and Statistical Evaluation (CHASE) priority system. These three programs will enable a small staff to focus attention on the most productive cases and with a minimum amount of work significantly increase the amount of child support collections in Nebraska.

During fiscal year 1982, $3,174,047 were collected from absent parents on behalf of ADC families and $13,731,746 were collected on behalf of non-ADC families. This represents 12.1 percent and 193.7 percent increases, respectively, over fiscal year 1981 collections.



Medical Assistance

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The largest portion of Department of Public Welfare expenditures are medical assistance payments. The Nebraska medical assistance program consists of Title XIX (Medicaid), Services for Crippled Children, and the medical portion of three non-Title XIX assistance programs: Emergency Assistance, State Disability, and Refugee Resettlement. These five programs are administered by the Division of Provider Services. Medical assistance expenditures for fiscal year 1982 were $139,680,322, an increase of 15.9 percent over expenditures for fiscal year 1981.

Medicaid

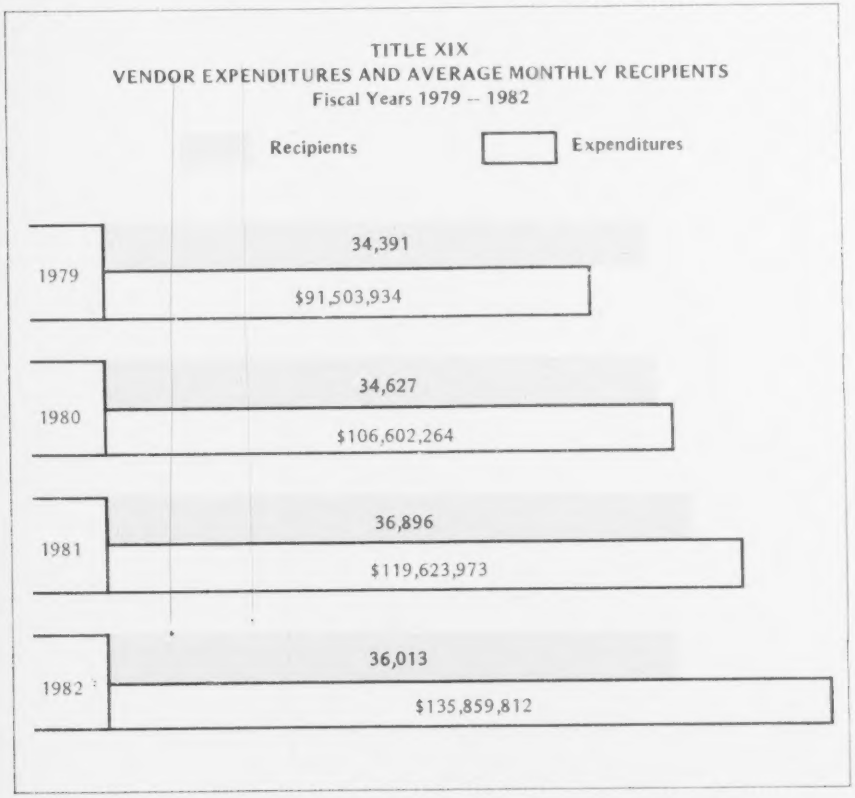
The most comprehensive medical assistance program is Title XIX (Medicaid). The medical expenses under this program are shared by the federal government, state, and counties. Medicaid payments are made on behalf of 70,000 plus Nebraskans each year or about 4.5 percent of the entire state population. The majority of Medicaid recipients are children and persons age 65 or older.

Financial need is the primary factor in determining Medicaid eligibility. Automatically eligible are recipients of Aid to Dependent Children, State Supplement, and state ward foster care. Other persons who have income sufficient for maintenance needs but cannot afford needed medical care may qualify as "medically needy" if they are otherwise categorically eligible.

Major efforts were taken during the year to effect cost containment in response to expected decreases in government funding levels. A prospective reimbursement plan for nursing homes was developed, with implementation planned for fiscal year 1983. A similar plan, in which per diem reimbursement rates are established in advance of the fiscal year with no retroactive settlement, has also been proposed for hospitals.

Data processing adjustments were made to accommodate new state statutes concerning ratable reduction in provider payments and a 3.75 percent increase limit for rates of payment. These changes will be applicable to fiscal year 1983 payments.

Title XIX net expenditures during fiscal year 1982 totaled $136,109,917 and were paid on behalf of an average 36,013 recipients each month. Net expenditures increased 16.1 percent and the average monthly number of recipients decreased 2.4 percent from fiscal year 1981. Net expenditures are total expenditures less refunds.



The largest portion of Title XIX expenditures covers payments made directly to the vendors of medical services. Other expenditures include payments of Medicare Part B supplemental medical insurance premiums, retroactive payments to nursing homes and hospitals to adjust interim per diem rate payments to actual reimbursable costs, and direct voucher payments. Rebates were received from the Department of Public Institutions for the non-federal share of the cost of services in certain intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded and inpatient mental hospitals.

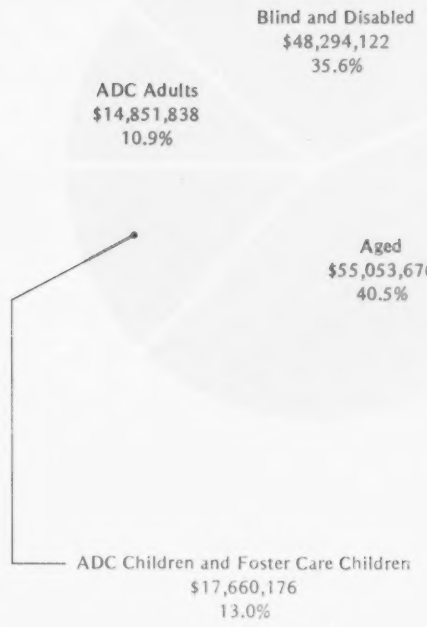
Nursing home services (skilled nursing facilities, intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded, and all other intermediate care facilities) and inpatient hospital services (general and mental hospital) accounted for 55.4 percent and 22.9 percent, respectively, of the year's total Medicaid vendor expenditures. Prescribed drugs and physician services were the most utilized Title XIX services with an average of 22,671 and 14,489 persons, respectively, using these services each month this year.

TITLE XIX NET EXPENDITURES
Fiscal Years 1981 – 1982

Expenditures	Fiscal Year 1981	Fiscal Year 1982
Title XIX Vendor Payments	$119,623,973	$135,859,812
Medicare Part B (SMIB) Premium Payments	798,235	848,129
Direct Vouchers	87,508	93
Retroactive Payments to:		
Nursing Homes	3,957,686	5,461,076
Hospitals	673,828	3,221,222
Total Expenditures	**$125,141,230**	**$145,390,332**
Refunds		
Refunds and Cancellations	($ 390,783)	($ 722,362)
Rebate from Department of Public Institutions*	(7,485,332)	(8,558,053)
Total Refunds	**($ 7,876,115)**	**($ 9,280,415)**
Net Expenditures	**$117,265,115**	**$136,109,917**

*For Department of Public Institutions' share of ICF-MR and Inpatient Mental Hospital services paid for by the Department of Public Welfare through Title XIX.

TITLE XIX
EXPENDITURES BY PROGRAM AREA
Fiscal Year 1982
Vendor Expenditures: $135,859,812



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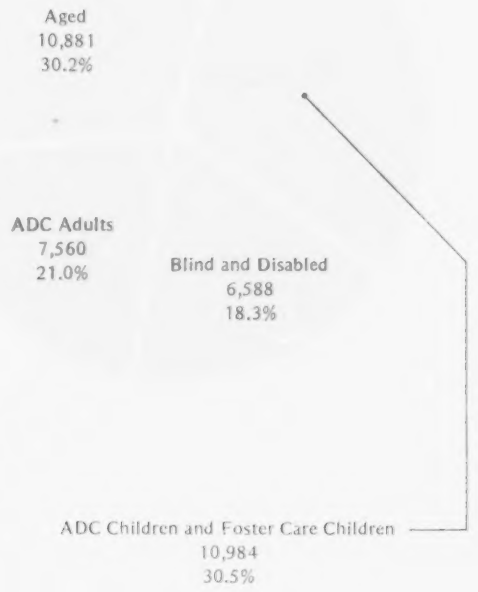
AVERAGE MONTHLY RECIPIENTS
BY PROGRAM AREA
Fiscal Year 1982



TITLE XIX PERSONS AND EXPENDITURES BY MAINTENANCE CATEGORY AND TYPE OF SERVICE+
Fiscal Year 1982

Medical Service	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	ADC Children	ADC Adults	Foster Care
Total							
Average Monthly Persons	36,013	10,881	137	6,451	9,999	7,560	985
Annual Expenditures	$135,859,812	$55,053,676	$915,725	$47,378,397	$13,553,633	$14,851,838	$4,106,543
Inpatient General Hospital							
Persons	1,942	580	c	429	356	518	50
Expenditures	27,544,315	2,018,641	109,853	8,664,182	7,504,152	7,915,289	1,332,198
Inpatient Mental Hospital – Aged							
Persons	24	23	–	1	–	–	**
Expenditures	1,211,327	1,126,534	–	83,853	–	–	940
Inpatient Mental SNF/ICF – Aged							
Persons	1	1	–	–	–	–	–
Expenditures	4,213	4,213	–	–	–	–	–
Inpatient Mental Hospital – Psych Age 21 & Under							
Persons	53	–	–	9	8	**	36
Expenditures	2,370,624	–	–	397,116	332,620	13,638	1,627,250
ICF – Mentally Retarded							
Persons	817	26	16	767	–	–	8
Expenditures	21,759,272	598,127	471,568	20,493,529	–	–	196,048
ICF – Non-Mentally Retarded							
Persons	6,984	6,039	21	924	–	**	**
Expenditures	47,210,450	38,930,944	182,225	8,090,703	–	6,539	39
Skilled Nursing Facility							
Persons	526	394	1	131	–	–	**
Expenditures	6,363,141	4,464,280	17,129	1,880,213	–	–	1,519
Physicians Services							
Persons	14,489	4,117	54	2,516	4,275	3,051	476
Expenditures	8,676,389	1,154,223	35,358	2,051,325	2,199,723	2,794,910	440,850
Dental Services							
Persons	2,199	159	7	321	976	626	110
Expenditures	1,982,690	210,492	7,115	296,288	661,020	723,641	84,134
Other Practitioner							
Persons	3,354	1,698	13	706	396	466	75
Expenditures	1,304,063	435,401	4,975	295,882	212,280	311,731	43,794
Outpatient Hospital							
Persons	4,767	881	16	822	1,694	1,238	116
Expenditures	3,279,384	314,248	13,658	926,463	882,018	996,125	146,872
Clinic Services							
Persons	2,901	276	7	425	1,266	857	70
Expenditures	1,333,126	44,706	2,624	308,311	531,010	388,143	58,332
Home Health							
Persons	397	173	3	160	40	18	3
Expenditures	1,176,350	490,867	12,546	566,214	73,977	28,446	4,300
Family Planning							
Persons	1,101	–	3	83	71	922	22
Expenditures	215,882	–	545	14,538	13,352	183,101	4,346

Medical Service	Total	Aged	Blind	Disabled	ADC Children	ADC Adults	Foster Care
Lab and Radiology							
Persons	2,353	714	10	498	331	744	56
Expenditures	762,924	104,041	6,211	249,199	110,675	270,855	21,943
Prescribed Drugs							
Persons	22,671	9,158	97	4,639	4,340	4,087	350
Expenditures	9,349,827	5,024,869	44,840	2,574,723	621,748	1,009,453	74,194
Rural Health Clinic							
Persons	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Expenditures	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sterilization							
Persons	49	**	**	1	—	48	**
Expenditures	138,420	38	200	3,119	—	134,863	200
Other Medical Care							
Persons	613	143	6	291	78	73	22
Expenditures	809,082	132,052	6,830	478,650	81,734	69,159	40,657
EPSDT Services							
Persons	1,047	—	**	11	935	19	82
Expenditures	368,333	—	48	4,089	329,324	5,945	28,927

+Expenditures are total dollars paid for the year. Persons are average month'y unduplicated recipients. Within a month, a person is counted only once regardless of the number of times the service is utilized and counted only once in the total regardless of the number of different services received.
**Less than one average monthly person.

TITLE XIX PERSONS AND EXPENDITURES BY MAINTENANCE CATEGORY AND MAINTENANCE PAYMENT STATUS
Fiscal Year 1982

	Total		Persons Receiving an ADC Maintenance Payment, a State Supplement and/or SSI		Persons Not Receiving an ADC Maintenance Payment, a State Supplement and/or SSI	
	Persons	Expenditures	Persons	Expenditures	Persons	Expenditures
Total	**36,013**	**$135,859,812**	**26,087**	**$71,423,991**	**9,926**	**$64,435,821**
Aged, Blind and Disabled Total	**17,469**	**103,347,798**	**9,061**	**42,457,613**	**8,408**	**60,890,185**
Aged	10,881	55,053,676	4,006	12,881,343	6,875	42,172,333
Blind	137	915,725	119	782,673	18	133,052
Disabled	6,451	47,378,397	4,936	28,793,597	1,515	18,584,800
ADC Total	**17,559**	**28,405,471**	**16,294**	**26,227,005**	**1,265**	**2,178,466**
Children	9,999	13,553,633	9,326	12,648,306	673	905,327
Adults	7,560	14,851,838	6,968	13,578,699	592	1,273,139
Foster Care Total	**985**	**4,106,543**	**732**	**2,739,373**	**253**	**1,367,170**

NON TITLE XIX MEDICAL PROGRAMS 1982

Month/Year	Emergency Assistance Unduplicated Persons	Emergency Assistance Expenditures	Refugee Resettlement Program Unduplicated Persons	Refugee Resettlement Program Expenditures	State Disability Program Unduplicated Persons	State Disability Program Expenditures
July 1981	11	$ 3,297	100	$ 13,945	74	$38,333
August	8	4,647	200	30,732	86	47,351
September	20	4,422	90	10,529	80	36,302
October	9	16	181	23,184	80	64,731
November	3	6,798	116	9,069	92	56,498
December	17	14,455	219	44,371	93	81,197
January 1982	13	7,521	207	15,745	76	41,791
February	11	1,174	196	40,870	80	37,490
March	13	16,798	292	48,836	106	92,123
April	17	21,907	260	19,115	88	103,064
May	23	19,301	312	78,796	96	60,890
June	16	9,425	229	35,191	112	96,000
Fiscal Year Total	–	**$109,761**	–	**$370,383**	–	**$755,770**
Average Monthly Expenditures	–	**$ 9,147**	–	**$ 30,865**	–	**$62,981**
Average Monthly Unduplicated Persons	13	–	200	–	89	–

Non-Title XIX Medical Programs

In addition to the Medicaid Program, there are three public assistance programs which offer medical assistance along with maintenance assistance: Emergency Assistance, the Refugee Resettlement Program, and the State Disability Program. These programs are similar to Title XIX in that they offer the same range of medical services, but differ as to funding sources, federal matching rates, and the recipient population served.

The Emergency Assistance Program provides financial and medical assistance to needy families in crisis situations. Medical expenditures in fiscal year 1982 (including Catastrophic Illness) were $109,761, an increase of 14.4 percent from last year.

The Refugee Resettlement Program provides financial and medical assistance and social services to refugees when sponsors are unable to meet total expenses. Expenditures in the medical portion of this program for fiscal year 1982 were $370,383 on behalf of 200 average monthly persons. This compares to expenditures of $196,053 paid on behalf of 118 average persons per month last year.

The State Disability Program extends benefits to certain disabled persons who do not qualify for SSI, State Supplement, or Medicaid. During the fiscal year, $755,770 in medical benefits were paid on behalf of an average 89 persons each month. Medical expenditures decreased 5.9 percent from last year, and the average number of persons for whom claims were paid each month decreased 39.5 percent.

Services for Crippled Children

The Services for Crippled Children Program provides diagnosis and referral services to children and purchases necessary treatment for them. Children who have a crippling or potentially crippling condition are given an evaluation upon request. Children determined eligible for the program are given additional treatment or services by contracted medical providers. Traveling clinics are held in locations outside of Lincoln and Omaha each year to serve children living outstate.

The SSI-Disabled Children Program provides blind and disabled children under age seven, and those who have never attended school, with medical, developmental, rehabilitative, and social services where such services may improve opportunities for self-sufficiency or self-support as an adult.

Expenditures for fiscal year 1982 were $2,334,491 for the Crippled Children Program and $178,399 for the SSI-Disabled Children Program. As of June 30, 1982, 3,680 children were certified to receive services.

CLINICS AND HOSPITALIZATIONS
Fiscal Year 1982

Diagnosis or Clinic Category	Number of Clinic Visits	Number of Hospitalizations	Days Hospitalized
Oral Plastics	231	85	258
Cerebral Palsy	530	52	206
Heart	705	166	1,868
Orthopedic	879	81	682
Cystic Fibrosis	127	14	120
Eye	63	19	36
Mid-Line Neural Defects	136	48	661
Hearing	257	26	53
Hyperalimentation	0	0	0
Neoplasm	171	64	626
Major Medical	79	234	3,265
Beatrice S.D.C. and Hastings Regional Center	344	2	12
Asthma	48	29	272
Genetically Handicapped	12	5	73
Screening	49	0	0
Educationally Related	1,177	0	0
Total	**4,808**	**825**	**8,132**

Social Services

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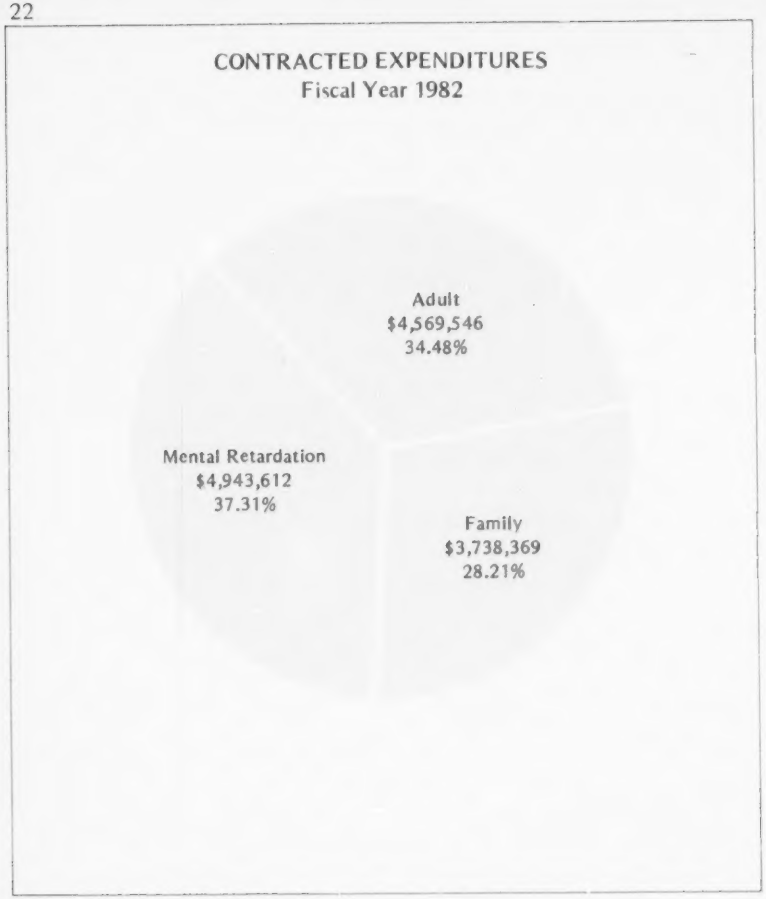
Social services programs serve two population groups: adults who are aged or disabled and children, youth, and families. Major funding for social services programs comes from Title XX of the Social Security Act. Other services are provided through child welfare funds.

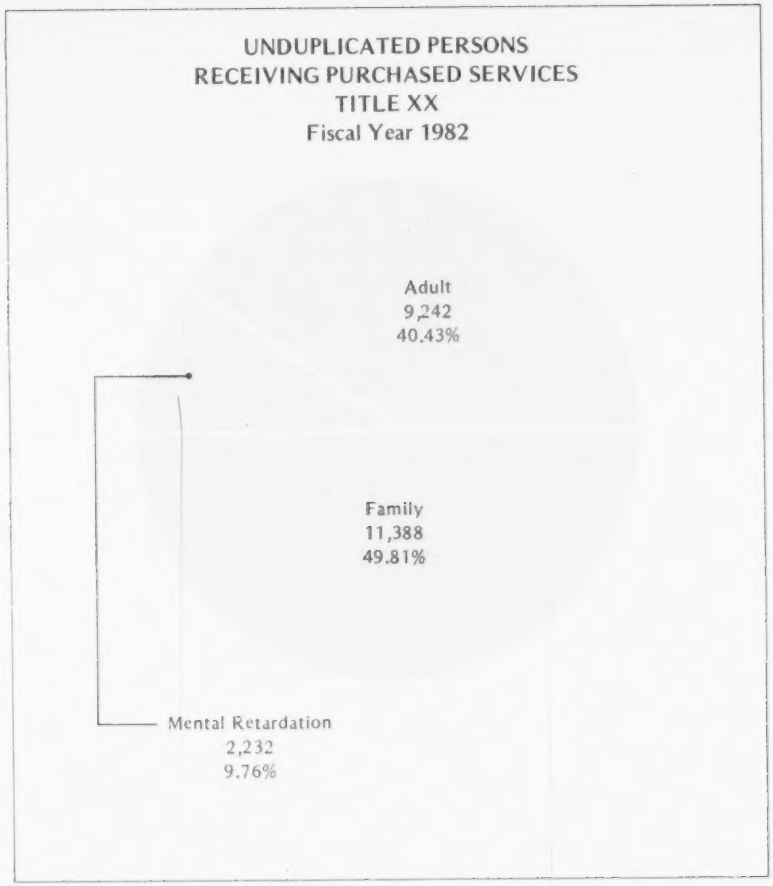
The Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1981 (PL 97-35) established the Social Services Block Grant, amending Title XX. The block grant appropriation resulted in a 22% decrease in funding for social services programs. Special committees were established to identify issues related to the Social Services Block Grant and the reduced funding. The public responded to these issues through a series of public forums by strongly recommending across the board reduction rather than elimination of defined services. The recommendation was followed and across the board cuts were made in all program areas.

Aged and Disabled Services

Support of community-based alternatives to institutionalization remained a priority in the provision of in-home assistance including chore services, home-delivered meals, and homemaker services. Other community supportive services provided were adult day services, congregate meals, mental retardation services, and transportation.

A model rural service coordination system project involved social service workers and home-based nurses in the assessment of elderly at risk of institutionalization, and in development of a comprehensive community-centered plan of care. The demonstration project has a variety of funding sources and is a model of local community effort. Preliminary findings indicate that the community based project is less expensive than institutionalization.





This year the Department and the Commission on Aging signed an agreement to work together to prevent the abuse and neglect of Nebraska's adults. The agreement focuses on joint efforts in promoting public awareness, providing technical assistance, improving coordination among agencies and the private sector, and improving services available to victims and their families. The number of investigative reports of adult abuse and neglect doubled this past year.

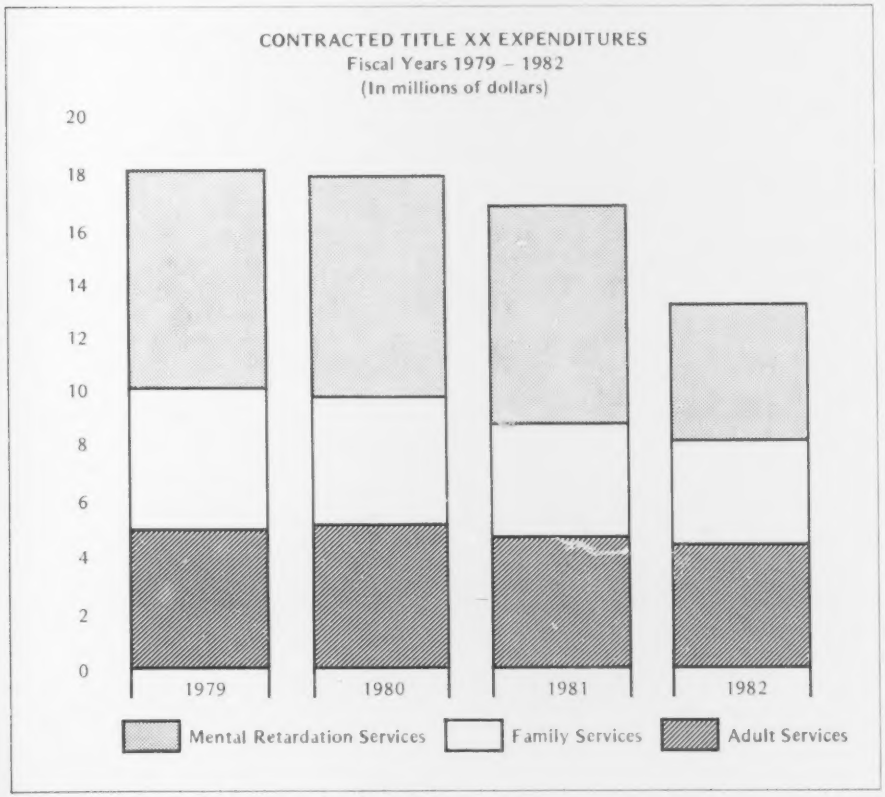
Other projects this year included assisting the Health Department in the revision of standards for adult family homes, developing new management information reports covering community-based mentally retarded clients, and writing regulations for the Disabled Persons and Family Support Program.

Adult contracted expenditures purchased chore, day care, meals, homemaker, transportation, and other services for 9,242 persons during fiscal year 1982 at a total cost of $4,569,546. Expenditures decreased 5.9 percent from the previous year.

Children, Youth, and Family Services

The primary function of the family services program is to enable low income families to become more self-supporting. Day care services for children are provided to allow the usual caretaker to seek employment or remain gainfully employed. Homemaker and transportation services are designed for rehabilitation or crisis prevention to help the family unit remain intact.

Contracted services for children, youth, and families including day care, homemaker, and transportation were provided to 11,388 persons during fiscal year 1982, at a total cost of $3,738,369. Ninety-three percent of this amount was spent for day care for 9,069 children. The average monthly cost of day care per child was $91.77. Overall expenditures decreased eight percent from fiscal year 1981.



Domestic Abuse Program

As a result of the state Protection from Domestic Abuse Act, the Department of Public Welfare was mandated to provide services to victims of domestic abuse and their families. The program was appropriated $428,000 for fiscal year 1982. The Department awarded grants to 23 community-based groups to provide seven emergency services. Contracted services included 24-hour access, transportation, medical and legal referral, crisis counseling, emergency financial aid, and shelter. Shelter facilities, hotels, motels, and community homes were utilized by the groups as safe havens for victims and their children.

Licensing

The Department of Public Welfare has statutory responsibility for licensing day care homes, day care centers, foster homes, combination (day care and foster) homes, group homes, child care agencies, and child placing agencies. Significant increases in the number of licensed or registered facilities occurred this year. Day care homes increased from 1,244 to 1,461. Foster homes and foster/day care homes increased from 904 to 1,324. Other licensed types remained relatively stable in number.

Children and Family Services

The Division of Children and Family Services is responsible for foster care, adoption, group home placement, child protective services, parent and family services, resource development, and the Nebraska Center for Children and Youth. Any minor child who is committed to the custody of the Department of Public Welfare by order of the court or voluntarily relinquished by parents becomes a ward of the state. As of June 1, 1982, there were 1,896 state wards, a seven percent increase since June, 1981.

Maintenance and medical assistance are available through the Title IV-B Foster Care Program for most state wards who are not eligible for ADC. During fiscal year 1982, there were increases in all aspects of the program. Maintenance expenditures of $4,564,715 were up 14.9 percent from fiscal year 1981 and average monthly cases were up seven percent to 1,026.

REGISTERED/LICENSED CHILD CARE AND CHILD PLACEMENT FACILITIES BY FIELD OFFICES
LICENSED AS OF JUNE 30, 1982

	Scottsbluff	North Platte	Grand Island	Norfolk	Lincoln	Omaha	Out-State	Total
Day Care Homes	107	45	269	190	460	390		1,461
Day Care Centers	24	5	26	19	41	93		208
Foster Care Homes	62	54	159	128	360	425		1,188
Foster/Day Care Homes	4	11	17	12	44	48		136
Group Homes	2	2	9	2	17	25		57
Child Caring Agencies	2	2	2	0	4	8		18
Child Placing Agencies	0	0	0	0	4	9	3	16
Total Licensed Providers								**3,084**

MENTAL RETARDATION SERVICES BY REGION[1] (Persons and Units*)
Fiscal Year 1982

	Total		Region I		Region II		Region III		Region IV		Region V		Region VI	
	Persons	Units	Persons	Units	Persons	Units	Persons	Units	Persons	Units	Persons	Units	Persons	Units
Adult Services														
Vocational Education	15	2,797	–	–	–	–	–	–	2	991	13	1,806	–	–
Workshop Activities	326	384,913	3	561	–	–	–	–	2	1,885	321	382,467	–	–
Basic Skills and Education	442	151,328	32	43,529	–	–	–	–	50	77,535	360	30,264	–	–
Vocational Education	644	759,909	59	55,718	147	136,903	159	206,355	234	312,372	44	48,099	1	462
Training for														
Independent Living	1,053	534,659	83	22,308	104	25,476	213	329,857	169	46,879	277	63,286	207	46,853
Group Living – Small	341	74,759	18	3,637	8	2,088	–	–	2	409	137	29,655	176	38,970
Group Living – Medium	296	76,966	22	6,642	73	22,416	–	–	118	31,771	82	16,047	1	90
Youth Services														
Child Development Center	47	29,343	20	20,262	–	–	–	–	27	9,081	–	–	–	–
Preschool	17	10,802	17	10,802	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Training in Life Skills	192	44,902	4	1,177	–	–	–	–	28	7,514	80	17,701	80	18,510
Foster Home Care	54	8,907	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	4	395	50	8,512
Group Home Care – Small	88	16,347	1	122	–	–	–	–	1	20	38	8,059	48	8,146
Group Home Care – Medium	71	15,637	3	1,055	–	–	–	–	28	7,099	40	7,483	–	–
Casework Service	1,855	28,969	182	4,607	156	4,221	–	–	387	3,950	667	7,444	463	8,747
Transportation	1,193	757,638	142	46,786	128	46,924	–	–	313	80,381	342	510,988	268	72,559
Unduplicated Total Persons	2,232	–	189	–	157	–	332	–	388	–	689	–	477	–

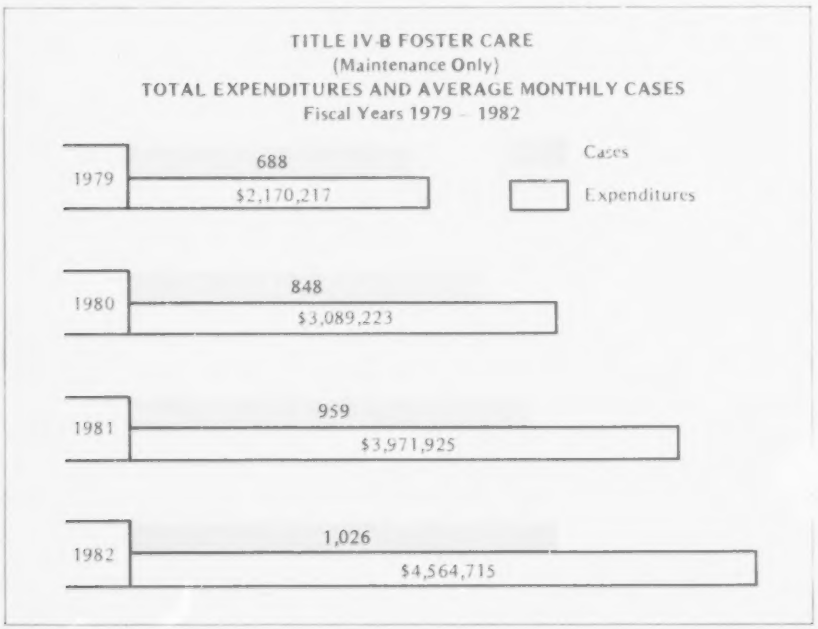
[1]Regions on this table refer to Mental Retardation Regions.

*Units are not similarly measured and cannot be added together.

The maximum payment for children in foster family homes is $210.00 per month. The payment for children placed in institutions is usually much higher. Children with special needs in foster family homes may receive another $60.00 per month. Special requirements include therapeutic diet, clothing allowance for special services cases, transportation, subsistence to obtain medical care, and special training or education allowances. Average monthly payments rose from $336.37 in fiscal year 1981 to $370.76 in fiscal year 1982. Children who receive IV-B Foster Care assistance may also be receiving direct/contracted services.

Subsidized Adoption Programs

The Subsidized Adoption Programs enable some wards of the state to be placed in adoptive homes by providing financial and/or medical assistance after the finalization of the adoption in court. Financial assistance may be provided by state funds for children who were previously in the IV-B Foster Care Program or by state and federal funds (IV-E Adoption Assistance) for children who were ADC- or SSI-eligible. In June, 1982, 268 children were living in 182 homes with the benefit of subsidy. During fiscal year 1982, expenditures totaled $639,300.



Nebraska Center for Children and Youth

The Nebraska Center for Children and Youth (NCCY) receives children under 18 years of age who have been committed to it by a juvenile court for evaluation, treatment, and/or residential care. The Center's main campus, located in northeast Lincoln, serves a maximum of 78 children who require a structured, intensive care program. The facility includes seven cottages, a transitional center, school, recreation area, and medical unit. The campus program was housing 71 children as of June 30, 1982.

The NCCY Group Home Program provides intermediate community-based care for a maximum of 62 youth who no longer need institutional care and can benefit from supervised group living and normal community resources. Forty-eight children were living in eight group homes in Auburn, Bellevue, Columbus, Lincoln, Seward, and in semi-independent apartments in Lincoln on June 30, 1982. The Bellevue group home was opened in January, 1982.

Emergency Shelter Care Program

The Emergency Shelter Care Program is available across the state to provide quality crisis care to children in need of such placement. During fiscal year 1982, 658 children were served. The Emergency Shelter Care Program is funded through child welfare monies and allows a fee of $10 per day for each child to be paid to a licensed foster care home agreeing to provide care to any child at any time of the day or night.

Child Protective Services

Protective services are offered to families where suspected child abuse or neglect is reported to have occurred. Services include investigations, court appearances, supervision, day care, and homemaker services. Protective services are offered without regard to the family's income. The average monthly case load for those eligible "Without Regard to Income" was 2,419 in fiscal year 1982. During the year 4,929 persons received investigative services for suspected child abuse or neglect, but did not necessarily have a case opened on their behalf.

Abuse/Neglect Hotline

The Department operates a toll-free, full-time hotline for the reporting of suspected abuse, neglect, or exploitation of incompetent or disabled adults or of children. The hotline, mandated by law, receives approximately 42 calls per month and is currently operated by Nebraska Communications Systems of Grand Island, Nebraska. The hotline number is 800-652-1999.

Quality Control

Quality control procedures are used to evaluate the administration of the ADC, Food Stamp, and Medicaid Programs. The design of quality control is determined by federal and state regulations and is different for each program. Quality control involves systematic random sampling of cases, case record reviews, face-to-face interviews with a client and/or client's representative, verification of case eligibility and benefit amounts, identification of the nature and causes of errors, preparation of six-month statistical reports based on sample cases, and development of corrective action plans to improve overall program administration.

A total of 450 active ADC cases were selected for review between April, 1981 and March, 1982. Cases which are subject to sampling include ADC-Regular and ADC-Unemployed Parent cases. The rate of cases found to be ineligible was 2.5 percent; of overpaid cases, 6.7 percent, and of underpaid cases, 1.8 percent. These compared to fiscal year 1981 rates of 0.9 percent, 5.7 percent, and 2.0 percent, respectively. Payment error rates were 2.3 percent for payments to ineligibles, 1.8 percent for overpayments, and 0.2 percent for underpayments. These compared to fiscal year 1981 rates of 1.1 percent, 1.4 percent, and 0.1 percent, respectively.

Three hundred thirty ADC negative case actions were reviewed during the year. The rate of incorrect terminations, suspensions, and denials was 5.1 percent.

Active Medicaid Quality Control includes three phases. The first is an eligibility review. Second, claims paid within a six-month period of time for eligible cases are reviewed for third party liability, that is, to see if insurance or other benefits should have paid a portion of the medical claim before Medicaid was billed. Third, the paid claims are reviewed to determine if they were processed and paid correctly.

A total of 1,011 Medicaid cases were selected for review between April, 1981 and March, 1982. Of these cases, 4.2 percent were ineligible. For the October, 1980 through September, 1981 period, 19.2 percent of the cases had claims processing errors and 1.1 percent had third party liability errors. This compares to 49.1 percent of cases with claims processing errors for October, 1979 - September, 1980, and 2.5 percent of cases with third party liability errors for October, 1979 - September, 1980.

Four hundred sixty-three Medicaid negative case actions were selected for review from April, 1981 through March, 1982. Of these, 7.1 percent were incorrect terminations, suspensions, and denials.

From April, 1981, through March, 1982, 1,126 active Food Stamp cases were selected for review. The cumulative allotment error rate for the period was 11.6 percent. The error rate for April, 1980 - March, 1981 was 12.4 percent.

A total of 723 Food Stamp negative case actions were selected for review during the April, 1981 through March, 1982 period. Of those, 3.9 percent were found to be in error. In the period April, 1980 - March, 1981, the error rate was 4.5 percent.

1982 Public Welfare State Legislation

LB69 Requires use of passenger restraints for children receiving child care by a person licensed by DPW.

LB314 Excludes as an available resource up to three thousand dollars in a burial trust fund owned by a public assistance recipient.

LB347 Makes child abuse a felony if the offense is committed knowingly and intentionally.

LB353 Gives DPW the authority to determine the care, placement, medical services, psychiatric services, training, and expenditures for each child committed to it. Also requires DPW to make periodic reports to the court on each child.

LB522 Transfers administration of public welfare from the counties to the state effective July 1, 1983. Also eliminates the county's share of Medicaid expenditures effective July 1, 1983.

LB602 Requires counties to remain responsible for payment of medical care of indigents from county funds, but requires DPW to establish standards for eligibility. Effective date is July 1, 1983.

LB714 Creates a State Foster Care Review Board which will review and monitor placements of children in foster care.

LB801 Allows the withholding of child support obligations from unemployment compensation benefits and provides for their transmittal from the Department of Labor to DPW.

LB828 Reduces to $1,000 from $1,500 the amount of assets wards of the state may retain in their accounts.

LB834 Retains in statute the imposition of a 10% fee to be charged on delinquent child support.

LB928 Increases licensing fees for child care homes and centers, foster homes, and child caring and placing agencies.

LB933 States that no payments shall be made to any Title XIX vendor as reimbursement for dues for any educational or professional association.

LB942 Affects DPW in several areas. Section 2 could increase bus fares charged elderly and handicapped persons, thereby resulting in increased costs in social services transportation. Section 3 eliminates ADC payments less than $10 except when overpayments are collected. Section 5 states that DPW and the Department of Education will annually establish the maximum rates that the state will pay for the ordinary and reasonable cost of residential care placement for children in special education programs within the state. Section 6, for fiscal year 1983, prohibits DPW from paying any vendor of services provided to public assistance receipients more than a 3.75% increase over the fee allowed as of April 1, 1982. Section 9 provides for a pro rata reduction of payments for certain Medicaid services if it appears DPW has insufficient medical assistance funds during the fiscal year. Effective July 1, 1982.

Nebraska Department of Public Welfare

REPORT ON APPEALS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1982

	Total	AABD	ADC	MA	FS	SS	EA	RA	ENERGY
Number of Appeals:									
Pending from preceding period	74	9	36	7	17	4	–	–	1
Received during period	1,036	151	447	64	290	39	23	7	15
Disposed of during period	1,061	151	461	66	297	42	23	6	15
Pending at end of period	49	9	22	5	10	1	–	1	1
Agency Action Appealed:									
Denial of application	382	51	138	23	118	18	21	1	12
Delay in determining eligibility	15	2	11	1	1	–	–	–	–
Discontinuance of assistance	349	53	184	13	76	19	–	4	–
Amount and/or form of payment	227	17	103	2	97	4	1	–	3
Decision regarding WIN registration	13	–	12	–	–	–	–	1	–
Decision regarding WIN nonexempt status	8	–	7	1	–	–	–	–	–
Amount of medical assistance	32	16	2	13	–	1	–	–	–
Type of medical care provided	25	11	–	12	2	–	–	–	–
Other	10	1	4	1	3	–	1	–	–
Principal Issues in Hearings (Disposed of by hearing decisions):									
Need	577	80	210	29	217	20	6	2	13
Requirements	13	–	8	–	2	3	–	–	–
Basic Needs	11	–	6	–	2	3	–	–	–
Special Needs	2	–	2	–	–	–	–	–	–
Expenses of employment	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Resources	558	78	199	28	215	17	6	2	13
Income of claimant	391	43	109	22	184	16	5	1	11
Income of other family members and/or contributions from others	64	4	39	–	19	–	–	1	1
Real or personal property	103	31	51	6	12	1	1	–	1
Disregards	5	1	3	1	–	–	–	–	–
Eligibility factors other than need	381	25	231	4	78	20	17	4	2
Medical care	103	46	20	33	2	2	–	–	–
Eligibility	72	34	19	15	2	2	–	–	–
Type of care	20	6	1	13	–	–	–	–	–
Level of care	11	6	–	5	–	–	–	–	–
Disposition of Appeals:									
Hearing decision	631	109	282	38	144	28	17	3	10
In favor	172	27	99	10	24	3	6	1	2
Not in favor	459	82	183	28	120	25	11	2	8
Other means	430	42	179	28	153	14	6	3	5
Withdrawn	245	31	108	18	78	6	1	2	1
In favor	112	17	49	9	31	3	1	2	–
No change	133	14	59	9	47	3	–	–	1
Abandoned	137	8	40	5	68	7	5	1	3
Death	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Other	48	3	31	5	7	1	–	–	1

COUNTY AND MULTI-COUNTY WELFARE DIRECTORS

County	Director	Address
Adams	Lawrence L. Morris	Hastings
Antelope	Louise Ruterbories	Nelight
Arthur	Douglas Cole	Ogallala
Banner	Dianna Bokelman	Kimball
Blaine	Margaret Bradley	Brewster
Boone	Charlene J. Ludwick	Albion
Box Butte	Myrtle Chandler	Alliance
Boyd	Vivian I. Kinzie	Butte
Brown	Josephine See	Ainsworth
Buffalo	Jean Kneese	Kearney
Burt	Dorothy Moore	Tecumseh
Butler	Linda Soukup	David City
Cass	Beulah Kildare	Plattsmouth
Cedar	Wilma Jean Leise	Hartington
Chase	Juanita O'Neil	Imperial
Cherry	Marcella Mooney	Valentine
Cheyenne	Virgil Knackstedt	Sidney
Clay	Sheila Nelson	Clay Center
Colfax	Evelyn Vanicek	Schuyler
Cuming	Esther Thompson	West Point
Custer	Nancy Ferguson	Broken Bow
Dakota	Mildred Jorgensen	Dakota City
Dawes	Ramona Hampton	Chadron
Dawson	Edward Maertens	Lexington
Deuel	Laura A. Terry	Chappell
Dixon	John Stander	Ponca
Dodge	Donna Stork	Fremont
Douglas	Michael T. Healey	Omaha
Dundy	Patricia Denny	Benkelman
Fillmore	Otis F. Mattox	Geneva
Franklin	Janice Beck	Franklin
Frontier	Diana Miller	Curtis
Furnas	Barbara Bates	Beaver City
Gage	Dennis McCrea	Beatrice
Garden	Ardis Shepherd	Oshkosh
Garfield	Karen Johnson	Burwell
Gosper	Dixie Dreher	Elwood
Grant	Cynthia Keller	Hyannis
Greeley	Alta June Cook	Greeley
Hall	Sonna Holmes	Grand Island
Hamilton	Beverly Enderle	Aurora
Harlan	Carol Wynne	Alma
Hayes	Patricia Pahl	Hayes Center
Hitchcock	Patricia Merrill	Trenton
Holt	Verna Pruss	O'Neill
Hooker	Nancy Fleecs	Mullen
Howard	Mary Christensen	St. Paul
Jefferson	Mary Hutson	Fairbury
Johnson	Esther Buethe	Tecumseh
Kearney	Beverly Muller	Minden
Keith	Douglas Cole	Ogallala
Keya Paha	Josephine See	Ainsworth
Kimball	Dianna Bokelman	Kimball
Knox	Helen Drosz	Center
Lancaster	J.G. (Jerry) Lemonds	Lincoln
Lincoln	Esther Bloom	North Platte
Logan	Judith L. Gewecke	Stapleton
Loup	Karen Johnson	Taylor
Madison	Mildred Liveringhouse	Norfolk
McPherson	Karen Hunn	Tryon
Merrick	Lola Hostetler	Central City
Morrill	Alberta Mayer	Bridgeport
Nance	Dianna Eggli	Fullerton
Nemaha	LaVerne Weers	Auburn
Nuckolls	Charlotte Clabaugh	Nelson
Otoe	Mary Baltensperger	Nebraska City
Pawnee	Mary Martha Percival	Pawnee City
Perkins	Shari Elsen	Grant
Phelps	Jeanene Schwartz	Holdrege
Pierce	LaVern Dickinson	Pierce
Platte	Carol Obershaw	Columbus
Polk	Barbara Rodene	Osceola
Red Willow	Dorleen Ward	McCook
Richardson	Genevieve Heinzelman	Falls City
Rock	Bonnie Sanger	Bassett
Saline	Daryl Wusk	Wilber
Sarpy	Harvey Shoberg	Papillion
Saunders	Leone Liliedahl	Wahoo
Scotts Bluff	Eddie Guzman	Gering
Seward	Rosemary Harnly	Seward
Sheridan	Marjorie Keyser	Rushville
Sherman	Lucinda Janulewicz	Loup City
Sioux	Elizabeth Quintard	Harrison
Stanton	Verna Chamberlain	Stanton
Thayer	Loetta Raatz	Hebron
Thomas	Marilyn Essman	Thedford
Thurston	Winifred Staub	Pender
Valley	Theresa Benben	Ord
Washington	Mary Lou Jolly	Blair
Wayne	Thelma Moeller	Wayne
Webster	Betty Krueger	Red Cloud
Wheeler	Leroy Glinsmann	Bartlett
York	Kathleen Deprez	York
MCU-121	Glenda Bang	Ogallala
MCU-122	Betty Boehm	McCook
MCU-141	Harry Mead	Norfolk
MCU-142	Florence McCarville	O'Neill
MCU-144	Lloyd Lindquist	Oakland
MCU-151	Judy Neujahr	York

+ADC PROGRAM BY COUNTY, REGION AND STATE
JULY 1981 TO JUNE 1982

County	*ADC–TOTAL Families	Total Persons	Adults	Children	Total Maintenance Payments	Average Payment Per Case	ADC–UNEMPLOYED PARENT Families	Total Persons	Total Maintenance Payment	ADC–FOSTER CARE Total Persons	Total Maintenance Payment
**ADC-TOTALS	13,914	38,346	12,093	26,253	$51,786,813	$310.17	571	2,569	$2,733,583	664	$2,398,558
ADAMS	198	504	177	327	671,231	282.50	4	18	18,524	7	21,160
ANTELOPE	20	54	20	34	74,821	302.91	1	4	5,295		
BANNER		1			2,940	326.66			840		
BLAINE	3	8	2	5	12,275	261.17					
BOONE	25	68	21	46	91,299	295.46					
BOX BUTTE	78	192	60	132	265,025	282.24	3	12	14,036	10	26,310
BOYD	10	25	9	15	33,524	277.05					
BROWN	7	17	7	10	27,412	288.54		1	2,387		
BUFFALO	168	475	148	327	614,092	303.40	4	25	21,708	10	25,880
BURT	58	161	59	101	214,583	304.80	5	23	26,487		
BUTLER	26	69	22	47	92,426	290.64	1	4	5,176	4	10,680
CASS	95	244	88	156	336,289	293.95	6	26	32,218		1,890
CEDAR	20	61	20	40	70,357	281.42		1	2,240		
CHASE	17	49	14	35	60,784	295.06				1	2,330
CHERRY	26	78	25	53	96,375	303.06	1	5	6,300		
CHEYENNE	33	93	28	65	109,743	273.67	1	4	4,201	2	7,140
CLAY	52	141	41	99	181,073	289.71	1	6	6,762	4	12,350
COLFAX	34	98	34	64	123,069	297.26		1	2,412		
CUMING	20	64	20	44	79,627	318.50	1	6	7,445		
CUSTER	59	143	45	98	195,762	273.41	1	5	7,387	8	20,392
DAKOTA	104	281	93	188	367,122	291.82	2	9	10,764		
DAWES	52	143	53	90	188,577	300.76	3	17	18,727		2,913
DAWSON	123	339	110	229	447,657	302.67	5	30	28,070	8	20,528
DEUEL	20	67	20	47	79,048	314.93					
DIXON	31	87	28	59	124,752	330.90		2	2,450	1	9,000
DODGE	200	571	197	374	750,222	311.81	14	56	68,245	5	14,609
DOUGLAS	6,504	18,529	5,653	12,875	24,681,761	316.20	171	772	821,321	79	325,372
DUNDY	9	29	9	19	36,624	329.94		2	2,157		
FILLMORE	24	73	24	49	88,155	302.93	1	5	6,081		420
FRANKLIN	24	59	17	41	76,813	266.71			374	2	5,450
FRONTIER	7	22	6	15	27,629	321.26					
FURNAS	13	30	7	22	37,755	234.50		2	1,627		1,050
GAGE	166	477	157	320	632,979	316.01	19	92	100,752	11	29,700
GARDEN	9	26	9	17	34,018	290.75		2	2,917		
GARFIELD	6	19	6	12	20,676	275.68					
GOSPER	6	16	5	10	22,229	277.86					
GRANT	6	15	6	9	21,169	274.92		3	1,309		
GREELEY	9	20	6	14	30,744	265.03					
HALL	396	1,110	370	740	1,431,568	300.93	24	111	108,197	13	40,071
HAMILTON	56	154	54	99	204,881	303.52	6	29	30,348	3	8,875
HARLAN	19	53	13	40	63,126	265.23		1	2,240	3	8,154
HAYES	1	2		2	2,731	130.04					
HITCHCOCK	16	49	13	36	60,879	304.39	1	6	7,700	1	4,200
HOLT	47	129	42	86	161,241	282.38				1	2,520
HOOKER	3	7	3	3	10,217	255.42			430		

County	ADC–TOTAL Families	Total Persons	Adults	Children	Total Maintenance Payments	Average Payment Per Case	ADC–UNEMPLOYED PARENT Families	Total Persons	Total Maintenance Payment	ADC–FOSTER CARE Total Persons	Total Maintenance Payment
HOWARD	31	90	25	65	113,739	304.11		1	1,044	1	4,830
JEFFERSON	54	147	48	98	188,409	286.33	1	7	6,658	2	5,460
JOHNSON	14	41	16	25	51,158	300.92	1	6	4,605		
KEARNEY	20	54	17	36	71,758	290.51	1	5	5,350	3	9,240
KEITH	41	129	34	94	150,032	303.09		3	3,247	1	4,200
KEYA PAHA	2	9	2	6	12,471	445.39					
KIMBALL	26	64	21	43	84,055	268.54					750
KNOX	66	184	56	127	242,450	302.30	4	27	25,195		
LANCASTER	1,731	4,829	1,658	3,172	6,586,645	316.97	124	547	596,982	38	141,179
LINCOLN	302	816	276	539	1,058,654	291.31	25	107	115,244	6	14,226
LOGAN	6	17	6	10	22,484	288.25		1	1,450		
LOUP	4	14	4	9	14,685	293.70					
MADISON	163	461	157	304	601,100	307.15	12	64	69,017		1,470
MCPHERSON	2	5	1	3	5,462	156.05					
MERRICK	50	146	48	97	189,033	314.53	2	14	14,942		
MORRILL	41	111	35	76	155,529	311.05		4	3,634	1	4,650
NANCE	11	29	9	19	39,302	282.74					
NEMAHA	54	138	47	91	193,409	296.63	3	13	12,316		630
NUCKOLLS	31	89	32	56	113,634	303.02	3	13	14,055		
OTOE	79	227	77	149	283,043	296.38	5	24	30,636		
PAWNEE	17	54	18	36	58,891	275.19	1	6	8,565		
PERKINS	12	35	12	23	49,408	325.05		1	2,100		
PHELPS	37	113	34	79	136,757	301.22	1	5	6,685	1	3,203
PIERCE	12	41	14	27	43,965	299.08	1	10	7,450		264
PLATTE	74	220	74	146	273,165	305.89	3	17	17,407	1	2,940
POLK	18	54	18	35	71,424	320.28	2	10	11,532		840
RED WILLOW	34	104	32	71	126,074	303.06		4	4,016		2,520
RICHARDSON	82	209	66	143	281,995	284.26	1	6	4,446	6	15,714
ROCK	4	13	4	9	16,140	310.38					
SALINE	30	79	26	52	101,160	277.91	1	7	5,852		630
SARPY	408	1,051	343	707	1,413,075	288.38	14	64	67,963	14	35,445
SAUNDERS	68	182	57	124	243,473	296.55		2	2,773		
SCOTTSBLUFF	473	1,339	406	933	1,790,355	314.92	19	80	85,815	41	135,873
SEWARD	63	186	61	125	237,778	313.69	6	29	32,698	3	9,172
SHERIDAN	61	162	49	112	216,236	291.03		2	2,518	2	4,483
SHERMAN	13	35	11	24	41,976	259.11		2	2,870		
SIOUX	1	4	1	2	5,344	242.90					
STANTON	11	31	11	19	39,527	278.35		1	1,519		630
THAYER	34	102	33	68	124,267	298.00	4	23	18,275	1	3,780
THOMAS	1	2		1	3,365	197.94					2,030
THURSTON	353	962	278	683	1,316,524	309.98	24	117	134,348	11	33,225
VALLEY	17	42	16	26	55,181	261.52					
WASHINGTON	60	168	58	109	203,811	279.57	3	15	12,952		
WAYNE	18	50	18	32	68,764	309.74					
WEBSTER	24	69	24	44	81,610	275.70	1	6	4,966	1	2,520
WHEELER	4	12	4	8	16,766	299.39		1	1,227		
YORK	75	200	66	133	287,892	319.52	2	12	16,105	3	8,102
STATE WARDS	334	334		334	1,349,548	336.71				334	1,349,548

+In ADC, families are the same as cases.
*Foster Care and ADC-UP segments are included in ADC-total. To obtain totals cases are average monthly cases for the year.
**Due to rounding columns may not sum vertically.

STATE SUPPLEMENTATION AND FEDERAL SSI CASE PAYMENT BY COUNTY – FISCAL YEAR 1982*

	TOTAL STATE SUPPLEMENT					STATE SUPPLEMENTATION BY MAINTENANCE CATEGORY					
						AGED		BLIND		DISABLED	
Counties	Total Cases Receiving State Supplement	Cases* Receiving State Supplement With SSI	Cases* Receiving State Supplement W/O SSI	Amount of Payments	Average Payment Per Case	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount	Cases	Amount
STATE TOTAL**	8,238	6,843	1,395	$5,370,255	$54.33	3,358	$1,540,000	134	$103,773	4,746	$3,726,482
ADAMS	214	165	48	185,106	72.08	94	65,113	4	3,037	115	116,956
ANTELOPE	46	39	6	23,506	42.58	25	8,006			20	15,500
BANNER	3	3		2,134	59.27	1	60			2	2,074
BLAINE	4	4		2,342	48.79	2	642		648	2	1,052
BOONE	32	26	6	17,574	45.76	14	4,789			17	12,785
BOX BUTTE	56	41	15	33,887	50.42	25	11,198	2	300	29	22,389
BOYD	31	24	6	12,731	34.22	23	6,435			8	6,296
BROWN	26	24	2	9,889	31.69	19	4,917			6	4,972
BUFFALO	164	135	29	99,411	50.51	78	30,383			86	69,028
BURT	52	46	6	22,749	36.45	26	5,489			25	17,260
BUTLER	35	29	5	24,459	58.23	24	12,745	1	1,848	10	9,866
CASS	73	57	16	45,151	51.54	34	19,982	1	972	38	24,197
CEDAR	55	51	4	28,639	43.39	27	8,622			28	20,017
CHASE	34	29	5	19,983	48.97	19	6,281		205	14	13,497
CHERRY	34	31	3	20,109	49.28	16	6,240	1	1,203	16	12,666
CHEYENNE	52	45	7	32,792	52.55	16	8,021			35	24,771
CLAY	56	45	11	28,929	43.04	30	7,383	1	228	25	21,318
COLFAX	54	47	6	29,719	45.86	32	14,345			21	15,374
CUMING	63	60	3	40,078	53.01	24	7,334		348	38	32,396
CUSTER	100	89	11	57,856	48.21	54	14,382			45	43,474
DAKOTA	93	80	12	51,688	46.31	44	19,393			48	32,295
DAWES	38	34	4	19,872	43.57	13	5,228	1	2,363	23	12,281
DAWSON	144	127	17	89,020	51.51	65	25,657	1	1,348	77	62,015
DEUEL	15	12	3	9,001	50.00	10	4,584			5	4,417
DIXON	40	31	8	25,473	53.06	19	7,387			21	18,086
DODGE	126	103	23	74,464	49.24	61	27,897	2	4,135	63	42,432
DOUGLAS	2,420	2,019	401	1,676,628	57.73	817	435,264	39	28,378	1,563	1,212,986
DUNDY	16	15		4,682	24.38	8	3,693		30	6	959
FILLMORE	37	33	4	17,994	40.52	17	5,160	1	732	18	12,102
FRANKLIN	30	26	4	11,334	31.48	22	3,798			8	7,536
FRONTIER	15	12	2	4,258	23.65	14	3,106			1	1,152
FURNAS	53	44	9	20,030	31.49	31	6,771		50	20	13,209
GAGE	161	133	28	106,775	55.26	57	33,926	2	2,460	102	70,389
GARDEN	19	16	3	11,287	49.50	7	1,386			11	9,901
GARFIELD	9	8	1	5,054	46.79	2	1,550	1	240	5	3,264
GOSPER	5	3	1	4,491	74.85	3	2,355			2	2,136
GRANT	2		1	767	31.95	1	164				603
GREELEY	22	18	3	11,489	43.51	11	2,684	2	1,037	9	7,768
HALL	278	220	57	213,433	63.97	101	48,592	3	1,456	172	163,385
HAMILTON	60	53	6	49,999	69.44	24	19,926		451	35	29,622
HARLAN	30	24	6	18,057	50.15	12	4,396	1	1,152	17	12,509
HAYES	7	7		7,210	85.83	1	120			6	7,090
HITCHCOCK	32	29	3	15,616	40.66	13	1,834	1	799	18	12,983
HOLT	66	62	4	34,928	44.10	32	12,205			34	22,723
HOOKER	6	5	1	3,677	51.06	5	2,693			1	984

Counties	TOTAL STATE SUPPLEMENT: Total Cases Receiving State Supplement	Cases* Receiving State Supplement With SSI	Cases* Receiving State Supplement W/O SSI	Amount of Payments	Average Payment Per Case	STATE SUPPLEMENTATION BY MAINTENANCE CATEGORY: AGED Cases	AGED Amount	BLIND Cases	BLIND Amount	DISABLED Cases	DISABLED Amount
HOWARD	36	28	8	19,576	45.31	15	8,607	1	768	19	10,205
JEFFERSON	60	48	11	29,054	40.35	31	10,377			28	18,677
JOHNSON	29	26	3	16,985	48.80	12	2,204	1	66	15	14,715
KEARNEY	44	36	7	24,398	46.20	15	6,682			28	17,716
KEITH	35	26	9	24,587	58.54	16	9,360	1	1,428	17	13,799
KEYA PAHA	4	3		413	8.60	4	413				
KIMBALL	28	20	7	18,190	54.13	9	3,275	1	60	17	14,855
KNOX	70	55	14	41,891	49.87	33	11,709	1	1,297	35	28,885
LANCASTER	864	718	145	624,256	60.20	265	123,627	30	32,442	567	468,187
LINCOLN	217	167	50	151,163	58.05	95	46,378	3	2,551	118	102,234
LOGAN	5	4	1	1,946	32.43	3	1,044			2	902
LOUP	10	9	1	5,467	45.55	5	2,829	1	60	4	2,578
MADISON	143	123	20	89,712	52.27	53	20,456			90	69,256
MCPHERSON				760	63.33		760				
MERRICK	65	56	8	43,170	55.34	24	14,794			40	28,376
MORRILL	44	32	12	25,797	48.85	26	11,748			18	14,049
NANCE	33	33		23,678	59.79	14	8,676		1,259	18	13,743
NEMAHA	49	42	7	26,731	45.46	20	8,374	2	1,444	26	16,913
NUCKOLLS	48	38	9	27,098	47.04	25	11,984		659	22	14,455
OTOE	89	77	11	53,854	50.42	34	14,430	5	1,567	48	37,857
PAWNEE	28	27	1	12,167	36.21	15	3,428			13	8,739
PERKINS	8	7		6,402	66.68	5	4,328			2	2,074
PHELPS	59	45	13	48,082	67.91	28	15,441			30	32,641
PIERCE	36	33	2	21,121	48.89	20	7,562			16	13,559
PLATTE	85	72	12	51,386	50.37	29	9,614			55	41,772
POLK	37	34	3	16,716	37.64	15	3,761			22	12,955
RED WILLOW	38	31	6	20,740	45.48	16	4,583	1	60	20	16,097
RICHARDSON	90	75	14	53,930	49.93	46	28,760		828	43	24,342
ROCK	10	9	1	3,529	29.40	8	1,291			2	2,238
SALINE	55	45	9	25,338	38.39	27	8,474			27	16,864
SARPY	116	93	23	85,224	61.22	37	17,736	3	940	75	66,548
SAUNDERS	79	59	19	56,373	59.46	31	15,820			48	40,553
SCOTTS BLUFF	297	222	75	199,387	55.94	131	71,706	1	60	165	127,621
SEWARD	50	46	4	26,932	44.88	21	6,028	2	790	27	20,114
SHERIDAN	41	35	6	22,805	46.35	23	10,121			18	12,684
SHERMAN	35	27	7	18,006	42.87	21	5,506	1	152	12	12,348
SIOUX	8	6	1	7,282	75.85	2	1,917			5	5,365
STANTON	15	15		6,790	37.72	6	455			9	6,335
THAYER	41	40	1	26,685	54.23	21	9,599	1	492	19	16,594
THOMAS	2	1	1	721	30.04	2	721				
THURSTON	69	51	17	43,081	52.03	42	22,262	1	2,758	25	18,061
VALLEY	53	50	3	40,644	63.90	34	22,098			19	18,546
WASHINGTON	46	33	13	30,574	55.38	13	5,121	1	713	31	24,740
WAYNE	24	23	1	16,591	57.60	10	4,329			13	12,262
WEBSTER	42	37	5	23,710	47.04	22	8,445			20	15,265
WHEELER	5	5		5,396	89.93	1	1,327			3	4,069
YORK	49	41	8	27,676	47.06	23	9,693			26	17,983

+ The source for the table is SDX-290.
* Number of cases does not reflect number of persons. One case may include a recipient and any essential persons.
** Due to the rounding, cases don't sum vertically. Columns may not sum vertically either.

FOOD STAMP PROGRAM – FISCAL YEAR 1982
Participants

Counties	HOUSEHOLDS P.A.*	HOUSEHOLDS Non P.A.	HOUSEHOLDS Total	PERSONS P.A.*	PERSONS Non P.A.	PERSONS Total	Value of Coupons	Average Value Per Person	Average Value Per Household
STATE TOTAL	9,345	18,897	28,242	30,111	46,602	76,713	$31,434,356	$34.14	$92.75
ADAMS	160	327	487	471	708	1,179	498,933	35.24	85.24
ANTELOPE	11	121	133	35	347	382	150,088	32.72	93.80
BLAINE	3	5	9	9	17	27	10,756	32.69	96.03
BOONE	14	55	69	45	122	167	62,408	30.98	74.91
BOX BUTTE	36	109	146	121	334	455	175,473	32.11	100.15
BOYD	6	60	67	17	140	157	58,050	30.66	72.02
BROWN	5	38	43	16	80	96	34,553	29.78	66.57
BUFFALO	131	350	481	430	854	1,285	471,549	30.57	81.54
BURT	34	120	154	111	325	437	173,078	32.99	93.60
BUTLER	9	53	62	33	137	170	62,664	30.56	82.99
CASS	48	195	244	149	588	737	308,228	34.82	105.23
CEDAR	14	80	94	47	267	315	122,939	32.49	108.41
CHASE	10	55	66	40	170	211	66,390	26.21	83.72
CHERRY	9	59	68	28	148	176	62,956	29.66	76.49
CHEYENNE	22	162	184	71	401	472	176,300	31.06	79.52
CLAY	17	80	97	58	223	281	111,660	33.04	95.51
COLFAX	16	67	84	54	152	206	86,959	35.02	86.26
CUMING	9	58	68	38	168	207	83,205	33.49	101.22
CUSTER	33	140	174	93	315	408	130,892	26.67	62.68
DAKOTA	53	245	299	165	669	835	353,571	35.28	98.54
DAWES	38	103	141	111	288	400	164,903	34.30	96.94
DAWSON	71	221	293	250	509	760	281,866	30.88	80.16
DEUEL	13	31	44	49	83	133	50,814	31.75	94.44
DIXON	17	78	95	56	220	276	104,997	31.64	91.70
DODGE	125	419	544	380	1,100	1,481	625,330	35.18	95.66
DOUGLAS	4,912	6,385	11,297	16,252	15,279	31,531	12,991,884	34.33	95.83
DUNDY	8	29	38	33	51	84	30,782	30.29	67.20
FILLMORE	15	62	77	48	147	196	68,105	28.95	73.23
FRANKLIN	8	49	58	26	110	136	44,129	26.92	62.95
FRONTIER	5	21	27	22	50	73	24,608	28.05	73.67
FURNAS	6	69	75	18	142	161	58,216	30.07	64.25
GAGE	117	310	428	389	768	1,158	437,547	31.48	85.19
GARDEN	7	23	30	22	50	72	27,349	31.25	74.92
GOSPER	1	10	12	5	21	27	8,718	26.90	59.30
GRANT	4	6	10	10	21	32	13,043	33.44	105.18
GREELEY	7	34	41	21	118	139	63,387	37.95	127.53
HALL	258	628	887	813	1,579	2,393	968,989	33.73	90.97
HAMILTON	28	64	93	98	186	285	113,152	33.08	101.20
HARLAN	8	60	69	36	117	153	44,931	24.47	54.00
HAYES		9	10	1	29	31	9,199	24.72	76.65
HITCHCOCK	5	42	48	19	94	113	44,676	32.80	77.42
HOLT	30	137	167	83	388	471	179,637	31.73	89.37
HOOKER	1	12	13	3	21	25	11,040	35.96	69.87

Counties	HOUSEHOLDS P.A.*	Non P.A.	Total	PERSONS P.A.*	Non P.A.	Total	Value of Coupons	Average Value Per Person	Average Value Per Household
HOWARD	19	64	83	65	190	256	102,510	33.36	102.40
JEFFERSON	40	132	173	122	247	369	128,246	28.90	61.50
JOHNSON	8	39	47	27	98	125	46,152	30.70	80.54
KEARNEY	2	28	31	6	71	78	30,555	32.50	82.13
KEITH	23	60	84	87	173	260	100,701	32.17	99.50
KEYA PAHA	1	3	4	3	6	9	2,673	23.04	47.73
KIMBALL	14	50	64	42	109	151	59,296	32.54	76.21
KNOX	29	124	153	108	349	457	174,100	31.72	94.26
LANCASTER	1,310	2,741	4,052	3,859	5,586	9,446	4,432,654	39.10	91.14
LINCOLN	191	537	728	576	1,349	1,925	787,174	34.06	90.01
LOGAN	3	9	12	11	29	40	16,703	34.43	107.76
LOUP	7	18	26	27	39	66	23,050	28.77	73.40
MADISON	97	260	357	303	568	871	329,983	31.54	76.86
MCPHERSON		3	3		6	6	699	8.96	18.89
MERRICK	23	66	89	80	172	252	94,348	31.14	87.60
MORRILL	18	107	125	74	350	425	162,944	31.89	108.41
NANCE	7	45	53	27	96	124	47,362	31.82	74.46
NEMAHA	34	81	115	93	176	270	110,245	33.98	79.25
NUCKOLLS	18	83	101	58	163	221	73,105	27.45	60.16
OTOE	48	177	226	157	473	630	258,410	34.15	95.17
PAWNEE	7	45	52	28	107	136	52,545	32.11	83.80
PERKINS	8	21	29	20	60	81	29,275	29.99	82.23
PHELPS	23	63	87	79	142	222	83,595	31.34	79.69
PIERCE	6	37	44	33	79	112	39,643	29.43	73.96
PLATTE	65	160	225	208	439	647	258,181	33.20	95.23
POLK	7	41	49	23	102	125	44,136	29.30	73.92
RED WILLOW	20	88	108	69	216	286	102,724	29.89	78.65
RICHARDSON	48	151	200	143	336	479	174,675	30.33	72.53
ROCK	1	11	13	4	32	37	14,670	32.89	94.03
SALINE	9	90	100	28	191	220	79,185	29.98	65.98
SARPY	241	506	747	775	1,664	2,440	1,024,915	35.00	114.19
SAUNDERS	34	145	180	113	430	543	230,902	35.39	106.65
SCOTTS BLUFF	320	694	1,015	1,046	1,940	2,987	1,198,954	33.44	98.38
SEWARD	32	99	131	102	272	374	150,016	33.36	95.36
SHERIDAN	17	114	131	61	356	418	165,095	32.90	104.35
SHERMAN	4	56	60	13	137	150	57,932	32.11	80.01
SIOUX	1	19	21	4	82	87	32,964	31.45	128.76
STANTON	6	49	55	24	153	177	65,386	30.69	98.17
THAYER	23	76	99	81	168	249	93,418	31.18	78.10
THOMAS		2	3	3	9	13	6,606	40.52	150.13
THURSTON	99	241	340	350	899	1,250	463,650	30.89	113.52
VALLEY	11	38	50	34	100	134	54,019	33.42	89.14
WASHINGTON	35	116	152	114	358	472	188,934	33.32	103.52
WAYNE	15	48	64	44	142	187	78,582	34.94	102.32
WEBSTER	10	48	59	33	130	164	55,058	27.89	77.54
WHEELER	2	8	11	9	32	42	18,748	37.05	142.03
YORK	44	82	126	128	199	327	121,684	30.92	79.89

* PA households are those in which all members are receiving financial assistance under the ADC program.
Non-PA households are those in which one or more household members do not receive benefits under the ADC program even though they may be a recipient of another form of public assistance.

TITLE XIX PERSONS* AND DOLLARS** BY MAINTENANCE CATEGORY BY COUNTY, FISCAL YEAR 1982

Counties	TOTAL		AGED		BLIND AND DISABLED		ADC CHILDREN AND FOSTER CARE		ADC ADULTS	
	Persons	Dollars	Persons	Dollars	Persons	Dollars	Persons	Dollars	Persons	Dollars
UNDUPLICATED TOTALS	77,267	$135,859,812	14,803	$55,053,676	9,281	$48,294,122	35,365	$17,660,176	17,818	$14,851,838
ADAMS	1,190	2,101,730	307	1,067,757	167	689,360	466	203,241	250	141,372
ANTELOPE	246	745,134	117	428,231	43	273,901	52	17,196	34	25,806
ARTHUR	5	16,400	5	16,400						
BANNER	10	20,458	2	18,527	3	1,613	2	84	3	234
BLAINE	25	56,476	8	42,877	3	10,876	9	1,334	5	1,389
BOONE	222	647,531	103	376,435	41	240,565	50	9,383	28	21,148
BOX BUTTE	375	723,416	103	397,603	51	262,795	142	28,367	79	34,651
BOYD	142	280,059	78	172,263	19	71,205	27	18,626	18	17,965
BROWN	121	244,201	66	181,835	20	57,028	21	2,039	14	3,299
BUFFALO	1,154	2,071,396	286	1,083,783	149	730,013	469	132,197	250	125,403
BURT	365	652,517	113	322,382	59	261,033	118	29,735	75	39,367
BUTLER	233	548,027	100	377,358	31	133,821	68	16,733	34	20,115
CASS	570	1,172,728	164	567,819	77	431,282	196	75,550	133	98,077
CEDAR	285	843,544	136	518,064	45	302,145	64	12,970	40	10,365
CHASE	205	317,336	64	208,135	21	83,948	78	8,622	42	16,631
CHERRY	186	359,240	68	205,779	30	119,836	58	10,427	30	23,198
CHEYENNE	249	698,395	84	259,500	63	288,302	67	115,384	35	35,209
CLAY	388	810,699	129	508,846	37	216,621	151	31,681	71	53,551
COLFAX	282	656,250	125	448,167	36	164,226	74	22,486	47	21,371
CUMING	260	764,852	93	339,704	61	360,144	68	56,528	38	8,476
CUSTER	520	1,243,304	203	774,880	90	403,252	143	28,117	84	37,055
DAKOTA	569	1,109,073	159	505,133	82	441,230	206	73,707	122	89,003
DAWES	266	505,271	84	332,030	36	135,387	87	14,563	59	23,291
DAWSON	918	1,635,676	244	801,558	141	608,917	346	139,261	187	85,940
DEUEL	88	124,586	29	98,994	6	3,845	35	11,182	18	10,565
DIXON	264	513,446	106	313,464	37	156,778	73	17,890	48	25,314
DODGE	1,305	2,632,103	350	1,450,358	147	763,504	516	199,097	292	219,144
DOUGLAS	26,695	44,123,631	3,232	13,715,963	3,135	15,823,205	13,495	7,661,260	6,833	6,923,203
DUNDY	118	303,114	53	105,171	18	183,673	34	7,600	13	6,670
FILLMORE	254	740,176	106	357,444	43	343,370	65	18,446	40	20,916
FRANKLIN	197	428,450	101	298,580	22	99,580	50	13,267	24	17,023
FRONTIER	91	193,677	57	159,476	4	24,251	23	3,308	7	6,642
FURNAS	190	702,882	112	486,751	32	199,351	32	9,889	14	6,891
GAGE	1,122	2,257,470	290	1,066,099	177	916,308	426	111,544	229	163,519
GARDEN	100	232,775	51	198,648	17	17,847	19	3,279	13	13,001
GARFIELD	59	177,569	25	98,838	12	74,094	12	1,615	10	3,022
GOSPER	49	157,256	18	70,029	8	51,754	14	7,933	9	27,540
GRANT	28	14,667	7	10,859	2	549	14	1,750	5	1,509
GREELEY	102	366,436	57	205,513	18	144,915	18	7,644	9	8,364
HALL	2,352	2,952,456	363	1,176,751	279	965,906	1,108	328,831	602	480,968
HAMILTON	359	657,567	95	333,906	52	232,821	132	45,445	80	45,395
HARLAN	193	427,208	87	248,014	28	148,398	59	16,409	19	14,387
HAYES	22	95,838	5	22,165	11	70,132	3	2,469	3	1,072
HITCHCOCK	134	379,517	38	144,462	32	208,585	43	18,132	21	8,338
HOLT	433	895,112	175	553,499	74	241,786	115	37,050	69	62,777
HOOKER	33	73,909	16	36,718	5	32,039	6	1,175	6	3,977

Counties	TOTAL Persons	TOTAL Dollars	AGED Persons	AGED Dollars	BLIND AND DISABLED Persons	BLIND AND DISABLED Dollars	ADC CHILDREN AND FOSTER CARE Persons	ADC CHILDREN AND FOSTER CARE Dollars	ADC ADULTS Persons	ADC ADULTS Dollars
HOWARD	249	508,981	75	274,189	32	177,898	99	36,287	43	20,607
JEFFERSON	421	895,744	163	517,834	55	316,892	132	19,846	71	41,172
JOHNSON	160	362,389	58	197,195	32	133,241	38	5,391	32	26,562
KEARNEY	180	538,715	60	310,985	26	179,838	62	15,073	32	32,819
KEITH	276	496,478	78	282,810	34	155,648	114	28,297	50	29,723
KEYA PAHA	30	42,280	10	17,736	2	22,819	15	922	3	803
KIMBALL	160	360,310	43	161,597	27	159,614	61	17,172	29	21,927
KNOX	361	861,985	166	546,351	51	272,477	91	20,335	53	22,822
LANCASTER	7,580	11,375,219	1,171	4,792,043	942	3,979,182	3,431	1,210,932	2,036	1,393,062
LINCOLN	1,642	2,140,861	294	833,573	199	815,259	714	231,465	435	260,564
LOGAN	36	84,781	11	18,596	5	58,216	12	3,486	8	4,483
LOUP	37	45,405	11	25,191	5	14,044	13	1,344	8	4,826
MADISON	1,096	1,914,885	276	919,741	151	748,735	425	109,613	244	136,796
MCPHERSON	11	12,232	4	7,903	3	1,076	2	2,575	2	678
MERRICK	352	569,612	95	313,196	62	192,330	132	28,523	63	35,563
MORRILL	253	471,064	87	290,961	34	130,143	84	20,870	48	29,090
NANCE	150	453,428	60	185,630	33	238,827	34	9,760	23	19,211
NEMAHA	350	840,687	109	384,836	59	383,957	113	37,298	69	34,596
NUCKOLLS	280	695,265	108	365,367	39	276,981	78	20,518	55	32,399
OTOE	577	1,577,188	208	906,752	89	536,493	181	79,702	99	54,241
PAWNEE	179	444,914	82	256,590	31	162,871	43	8,512	23	16,941
PERKINS	92	171,974	35	111,330	10	45,454	33	11,576	14	3,614
PHELPS	337	671,055	106	343,058	47	268,406	123	30,195	61	29,396
PIERCE	194	524,344	92	304,726	30	182,137	46	18,445	26	19,036
PLATTE	573	1,388,844	138	444,989	105	802,959	212	88,196	118	52,700
POLK	175	545,828	69	317,519	35	192,010	46	10,618	25	25,681
RED WILLOW	276	636,275	90	289,363	43	273,071	95	20,501	48	53,340
RICHARDSON	567	1,293,351	201	667,873	79	503,019	186	64,168	101	58,291
ROCK	56	188,871	22	95,201	5	84,089	19	3,018	10	6,563
SALINE	332	968,232	162	590,871	51	326,859	71	26,018	48	24,484
SARPY	1,733	2,501,706	188	839,944	173	839,393	907	369,856	465	452,513
SAUNDERS	466	1,156,708	151	571,525	75	495,816	151	51,727	89	37,640
SCOTTSBLUFF	2,180	2,772,166	385	1,011,962	298	1,137,841	994	329,197	503	293,166
SEWARD	439	1,005,319	117	494,460	63	432,776	174	34,898	85	43,185
SHERIDAN	228	645,581	88	361,109	31	179,437	71	67,065	38	37,970
SHERMAN	163	359,118	79	234,530	19	97,713	45	13,540	20	13,335
SIOUX	31	92,484	7	19,757	11	53,591	8	731	5	18,405
STANTON	114	339,560	46	165,755	23	165,261	29	3,302	16	5,242
THAYER	340	893,318	152	597,629	46	254,778	90	22,084	52	18,827
THOMAS	30	89,573	15	81,926	2	6,270	12	1,292	1	85
THURSTON	215	362,312	71	254,756	19	63,609	78	16,910	47	27,037
VALLEY	159	257,622	68	143,662	29	87,499	37	7,853	25	18,608
WASHINGTON	402	682,020	108	405,003	60	198,476	150	35,360	84	43,181
WAYNE	167	426,077	61	243,849	21	155,615	51	7,756	34	18,857
WEBSTER	208	495,478	105	308,191	32	171,774	44	4,134	27	11,379
WHEELER	30	39,254	9	34,716	4	1,406	14	1,664	3	1,468
YORK	448	922,885	123	457,171	67	356,345	166	44,160	92	65,209
NO LEGAL SETTLEMENT	10,480	12,841,429	849	3,431,266	729	4,684,327	5,946	2,656,657	2,956	2,069,179
STATE WARD FOSTER CARE	1,609	2,222,618			1	341	1,608	2,222,277	0	0

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TITLE XIX EXPENDITURES BY SERVICE BY COUNTY, FISCAL YEAR 1982

County	Total	HOSPITAL		ICF		Skilled Nursing Facility	Physician	Dental	Prescribed Drugs	Other
		Inpatient	Outpatient	Mentally Retarded	Non-Mentally Retarded					
STATE TOTAL	$135,859,812	$31,130,479	$3,279,384	$21,759,272	$47,210,450	$6,363,141	$8,676,389	$1,982,690	$9,349,827	$6,108,180
ADAMS	2,101,750	333,528	41,790	293,440	1,028,129	8,726	127,154	43,128	170,222	55,633
ANTELOPE	745,136	119,472	3,467	156,806	357,020	2,164	27,749	4,315	57,870	16,273
ARTHUR	16,398	204	69		13,671		90	12	1,844	508
BANNER	20,459	710	28		17,515		573	86	1,297	250
BLAINE	56,472	2,088	154		47,124		1,607	697	4,266	536
BOONE	647,542	61,995	8,933	121,500	373,706		14,707	3,497	54,146	9,058
BOX BUTTE	723,431	99,706	4,705	98,785	370,369	39,088	31,261	6,819	56,611	16,087
BOYD	280,074	45,193	1,728	26,483	153,117		16,652	2,173	29,241	5,487
BROWN	244,215	26,280	2,684	25,900	146,996		7,634	2,572	27,608	4,541
BUFFALO	2,071,417	394,919	34,853	294,922	987,261	1,317	121,468	25,001	156,587	55,089
BURT	652,530	89,885	6,623	103,485	326,138	1,860	31,227	10,818	51,148	31,346
BUTLER	548,033	61,309	3,579	28,298	343,916	20,452	20,591	4,314	45,196	20,378
CASS	1,172,745	151,629	14,150	240,385	527,367	42,070	62,509	14,288	84,649	35,698
CEDAR	843,561	115,888	1,347	182,115	434,955	6,605	23,237	4,243	62,247	12,924
CHASE	317,349	79,951	3,994	32,818	142,178	1,386	17,329	2,639	28,285	8,769
CHERRY	359,241	26,821	1,856	26,110	226,275	24,800	14,215	3,634	27,116	8,414
CHEYENNE	698,398	196,861	9,423	89,753	243,254	32,414	29,859	3,320	64,652	28,862
CLAY	810,721	83,067	6,320	132,022	453,741		32,317	16,474	67,031	19,749
COLFAX	656,256	75,014	6,029	70,251	394,003	10,319	25,259	6,061	52,751	16,569
CUMING	764,863	137,478	5,084	163,634	343,714	9,340	20,231	8,337	46,971	30,074
CUSTER	1,243,326	102,275	9,791	181,825	753,358		44,054	10,956	117,528	23,539
DAKOTA	1,109,091	204,365	11,744	257,549	425,697	23,153	54,929	15,318	89,800	26,536
DAWES	505,294	44,823	4,367	13,552	252,684	109,515	19,670	3,325	48,525	8,833
DAWSON	1,635,697	204,290	22,219	297,829	787,786	8,543	88,348	29,096	148,101	49,485
DEUEL	124,591	13,345	1,417		81,537		7,432	838	15,536	4,486
DIXON	513,471	47,471	7,228	68,855	303,608		20,291	7,607	41,121	17,290
DODGE	2,632,131	408,561	47,760	321,781	1,100,071	306,215	153,627	44,022	165,270	84,824
DOUGLAS	44,123,647	14,006,023	1,708,049	5,458,401	9,710,982	3,925,242	3,156,977	651,590	2,651,042	2,855,341
DUNDY	303,119	18,664	2,223	125,528	104,680		10,429	2,076	32,638	6,881
FILLMORE	740,187	54,198	4,930	204,221	333,552	37,596	33,348	5,748	51,789	14,805
FRANKLIN	428,475	37,310	3,924	54,683	258,771		24,262	3,352	39,037	7,136
FRONTIER	193,689	6,947	2,059	13,685	143,563		7,776	1,225	15,214	3,220
FURNAS	702,892	99,831	5,950	64,204	431,845		28,663	3,611	58,896	9,892
GAGE	2,257,502	267,156	33,298	574,334	936,293	84,592	103,056	25,790	152,523	80,460
GARDEN	232,784	17,348	2,332		180,139		6,484	395	21,976	4,110
GARFIELD	177,568	7,049	1,309	42,165	108,118		3,045	1,183	13,286	1,413
GOSPER	157,257	31,962	1,077	25,858	75,099		10,850	1,911	7,631	2,869
GRANT	14,670	1,877	142		8,088		1,218	231	2,320	794
GREELEY	366,444	20,055	3,633	121,618	165,559		13,596	2,083	34,717	5,183
HALL	2,952,484	629,459	59,873	360,287	1,089,107	56,232	282,278	73,783	259,926	141,539
HAMILTON	657,578	62,680	13,818	74,455	354,688	9,065	38,189	10,856	71,953	21,874
HARLAN	427,231	74,540	4,231	44,466	235,299		19,071	2,995	37,448	9,181
HAYES	95,845	15,172	991	46,478	20,037	3,524	2,400	743	4,456	2,044
HITCHCOCK	379,526	60,386	4,119	111,075	149,504		17,036	2,702	22,283	12,421
HOLT	895,136	126,528	11,147	70,891	551,073		37,026	9,594	63,318	25,559
HOOKER	73,921	13,824	550	16,617	31,636		2,770	410	5,581	2,533

County	Total	HOSPITAL		ICF		Skilled Nursing Facility	Physician	Dental	Prescribed Drugs	Other
		Inpatient	Outpatient	Mentally Retarded	Non-Mentally Retarded					
HOWARD	509,004	61,396	3,506	80,387	278,905	44	19,580	7,364	43,244	14,578
JEFFERSON	895,765	82,451	7,191	201,159	451,303	4,436	34,242	9,272	78,976	26,735
JOHNSON	362,407	31,026	3,018	90,735	182,529		14,255	4,830	28,377	7,637
KEARNEY	538,739	115,215	3,704	115,006	238,063		19,901	4,428	29,753	12,669
KEITH	496,479	83,466	6,778	54,879	243,212	13,809	31,675	4,863	46,023	11,774
KEYA PAHA	42,276	20,005	157		16,170		3,023	542	1,208	1,171
KIMBALL	360,334	57,639	7,044	82,583	145,704	614	26,438	2,584	27,959	9,769
KNOX	852,011	116,699	5,475	88,251	512,521		39,164	4,796	78,768	16,337
LANCASTER	11,375,254	1,920,999	205,816	2,014,531	3,898,472	714,351	924,080	211,393	894,346	591,266
LINCOLN	2,140,906	411,469	43,035	405,454	736,042	23,811	170,328	48,227	209,511	93,029
LOGAN	84,793	4,504	769	57,581	13,630		3,045	703	3,283	1,278
LOUP	45,407	3,830	424		25,249		3,667	826	7,984	3,427
MADISON	1,914,914	306,399	24,397	356,776	885,694		108,783	32,103	137,876	62,886
MCPHERSON	12,233	3,294	128		5,286		982	715	1,719	109
MERRICK	569,633	89,314	6,161	43,254	314,738		31,411	9,822	58,191	16,742
MORRILL	471,086	36,517	3,772	57,376	294,103		21,431	7,004	38,646	12,237
NANCE	453,443	69,525	3,093	138,837	170,237	4,976	17,835	4,428	34,539	9,973
NEMAHA	840,710	121,308	10,770	181,113	398,433	2,595	43,930	8,275	57,436	16,850
NUCKOLLS	695,277	53,520	7,762	162,191	368,204		20,473	5,627	51,636	25,864
OTOE	1,577,206	186,320	18,367	356,350	759,267	35,562	52,711	13,140	111,049	44,440
PAWNEE	444,926	30,364	3,551	139,862	202,517	8,252	14,668	2,687	35,179	7,846
PERKINS	171,975	19,953	948	25,743	101,837		4,281	2,903	12,826	3,484
PHELPS	671,086	57,727	5,276	153,432	320,322	3,812	44,123	8,906	61,784	15,704
PIERCE	524,360	88,372	2,432	93,339	265,537	5,329	18,266	5,772	36,849	8,46[illegible]
PLATTE	1,388,860	195,021	10,827	583,288	417,090	25,738	38,426	11,449	78,950	28,071
POLK	545,850	92,266	2,740	54,746	312,939	16	19,281	4,202	42,520	17,140
RED WILLOW	636,297	145,857	3,949	122,479	274,569	2,165	25,765	5,199	42,776	13,538
RICHARDSON	1,293,373	142,634	11,457	365,607	567,070	19,458	56,763	10,071	95,114	25,199
ROCK	188,867	74,924	753		77,579	13,296	3,876	944	8,624	8,871
SALINE	968,253	107,408	6,568	132,948	565,139	1,584	42,160	4,805	85,304	22,337
SARPY	2,501,733	816,214	80,454	274,697	626,852	144,048	228,902	45,827	164,760	119,979
SAUNDERS	1,156,738	129,420	12,725	246,900	573,441	24,558	52,182	10,472	76,949	30,091
SCOTTSBLUFF	2,772,182	552,498	75,586	434,940	1,024,098	21,119	232,690	56,045	252,745	122,461
SEWARD	1,005,335	79,508	6,510	261,453	498,441	5,547	40,766	10,459	68,990	33,651
SHERIDAN	645,607	135,312	3,009	88,564	310,948	11,676	33,144	2,322	43,015	17,617
SHERMAN	359,141	57,857	4,945	47,401	187,536		16,884	3,985	33,365	7,168
SIOUX	92,483	14,652	544	24,448	27,166	13,788	6,742	783	3,543	817
STANTON	339,563	16,684	1,488	122,434	159,340		8,151	3,788	21,723	5,955
THAYER	893,333	31,123	4,279	232,751	501,785	3,686	26,967	10,521	67,551	14,670
THOMAS	89,578	4,769	242		74,263		3,219	300	6,016	769
THURSTON	362,335	29,573	2,814	58,136	217,022		14,347	4,246	27,367	8,830
VALLEY	257,635	50,411	4,076	27,982	111,743		17,903	4,140	28,481	12,899
WASHINGTON	682,034	39,715	20,874	132,969	340,024	29,303	27,917	10,198	59,822	21,212
WAYNE	426,091	16,731	2,327	71,283	281,530	2,881	14,408	4,168	25,313	7,450
WEBSTER	495,476	52,398	2,244	82,094	279,696		19,334	3,180	50,380	6,150
WHEELER	39,256	1,395	300		31,685		1,551	452	3,600	273
YORK	922,902	91,372	10,345	286,738	388,806	2,205	39,615	12,706	61,091	30,024
NO LEGAL SETTLEMENT	12,841,446	4,120,189	420,490	2,411,402	3,010,516	459,011	959,443	236,404	605,879	618,112
STATE WARDS FOSTER CARE	2,222,619	1,483,169	91,448	160,196	39	1,275	265,459	50,952	47,207	122,874

ADULT AND FAMILY CONTRACTED SERVICE EXPENDITURES* – STATE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 1982

County	Grand Total	ADULT Total	Chore	Meals	Transportation	Other	FAMILY Total	Day Care	Other
STATE TOTALS	$8,307,915	$4,569,546	$2,383,747	$1,308,936	$548,056	$328,807	$3,738,369	$3,475,354	$263,015
ADAMS	163,591	76,582	39,009	27,607	4,716	5,250	87,009	77,746	9,263
BLAINE	5,486	5,486	4,248		1,238				
BOONE	42,774	36,761	27,258	5,468	4,035		6,013	6,013	
BOX BUTTE	27,760	11,219	1,742	9,282	195		16,541	16,541	
BUFFALO	171,953	49,328	34,596	13,206	1,376	150	122,625	118,779	3,846
BUTLER	29,897	25,874	14,180	6,014	5,680		4,023	3,639	384
CASS	39,567	23,987	7,873	13,705	2,409		15,580	15,580	
CHASE	26,806	12,094	8,803	3,141	150		14,712	13,929	783
CHEYENNE	73,642	22,818	18,302	4,061	455		50,824	50,485	339
CLAY	26,004	10,838	8,796	1,207	835		15,166	14,042	1,124
CUSTER	65,304	46,274	27,330	14,052	4,712	180	19,030	18,004	1,026
DAKOTA	41,686	24,632	3,889	18,335	1,087	1,321	17,054	17,054	
DAWES	90,377	35,326	28,039	6,354	43	890	55,051	55,051	
DAWSON	136,334	117,006	58,790	52,802	5,159	255	19,328	18,691	637
DEUEL	6,160	2,148	385	881	122	760	4,012	3,721	291
DIXON	71,010	66,774	28,743	35,043	2,293	695	4,236	4,236	
DODGE	73,897	32,591	28,748	1,606	2,183	54	41,306	40,578	728
DOUGLAS	2,951,094	1,266,978	664,697	249,210	268,347	84,724	1,684,116	1,541,103	143,013
FRANKLIN	14,846	11,950	6,151	5,536	263		2,896	2,290	606
FRONTIER	11,189	11,189	4,026	5,789	864	510			
FURNAS	20,434	15,313	4,394	10,750	169		5,121	5,054	67
GAGE	52,846	29,524	22,136	4,372	3,016		23,322	23,311	11
GARDEN	4,924	3,851	3,340	511			1,073	1,073	
GARFIELD	1,300	650	650				650	650	
GOSPER	11,113	8,477	5,765	2,298	414		2,636	2,636	
GREELEY	16,698	16,494	6,994	9,057	443		204	140	64
HALL	266,167	142,285	66,178	50,152	25,547	408	123,882	123,422	460
HAMILTON	22,978	17,734	10,436	4,279	3,019		5,244	4,985	259
HARLAN	32,801	28,123	12,369	15,556	198		4,678	4,223	455
HOOKER	2,086	2,086	2,006		80				
HOWARD	24,986	16,325	6,086	9,894	345		8,661	8,587	74
JEFFERSON	32,015	24,222	22,095	1,766	312	49	7,793	7,735	58
JOHNSON	19,934	19,396	10,508	8,649	239		538	538	
KEARNEY	17,111	10,681	5,603	4,356	722		6,430	6,208	222
KIMBALL	9,828	2,866	1,207	1,134	525		6,962	5,951	1,011
LANCASTER	1,100,760	615,536	240,553	82,924	86,577	205,482	485,224	477,433	7,791

County	Grand Total	ADULT Total	Chore	Meals	Transportation	Other	FAMILY Total	Day Care	Other
LINCOLN	200,375	94,520	60,850	28,076	4,643	951	105,855	94,107	11,748
LOGAN	5,038	1,489	1,489				3,549	3,549	
LOUP	2,068	2,068	2,068						
MCPHERSON	1,757	1,757	914		843				
MERRICK	47,889	28,770	17,995	6,563	4,212		19,119	18,406	713
MORRILL	21,341	18,624	7,859	10,278	487		2,717	2,717	
NANCE	9,560	9,301	7,593	408	1,300		259	149	110
NEMAHA	60,814	51,750	38,836	11,783	1,131		9,064	8,676	388
NUCKOLLS	26,560	17,886	10,228	7,217	441		8,674	8,380	294
OTOE	13,663	8,286	5,266		3,020		5,377	5,377	
PAWNEE	25,054	20,020	10,437	9,472	111		5,034	5,034	
PHELPS	26,318	15,667	5,629	5,213	2,975	1,850	10,651	10,597	54
PLATTE	62,474	30,585	25,344	2,707	880	1,654	31,889	31,824	65
RICHARDSON	69,538	56,850	22,267	26,223	8,294	66	12,688	11,533	1,155
SARPY	278,828	133,977	92,531	15,249	20,498	5,699	144,851	137,799	7,052
SAUNDERS	23,188	12,141	8,395	3,304	442		11,047	11,047	
SCOTTS BLUFF	246,912	129,432	91,053	26,780	10,360	1,239	117,480	117,340	140
SHERIDAN	37,891	19,472	12,930	4,331	681	1,530	18,419	17,673	746
SHERMAN	43,291	39,219	8,575	28,688	1,956		4,072	4,050	22
SIOUX	1,079	250	20		230		829	829	
THAYER	13,000	9,170	6,675	1,227	1,219	49	3,830	3,398	432
THOMAS	133	133	99	34					
THURSTON	115,552	50,479	13,801	22,430	2,516	11,732	65,073	4,791	60,282
VALLEY	54,810	46,754	13,946	27,363	5,445		8,056	7,977	79
WASHINGTON	54,528	34,159	18,453	14,667	1,039		20,369	20,369	
WEBSTER	26,897	23,553	8,359	12,611	2,583		3,344	3,287	57
MCU 121	43,926	21,849	11,047	10,723	79		22,077	21,647	430
MCU 122	155,582	138,724	67,750	61,184	9,600	190	16,858	16,276	582
MCU 141	316,455	222,796	110,554	101,862	8,576	1,804	93,659	90,825	2,834
MCU 142	133,038	118,995	57,276	56,718	4,458	543	14,043	12,641	1,402
MCU 143	3,529	2,097	1,873		163	61	1,432	1,430	2
MCU 144	200,996	173,196	81,229	82,543	9,314	110	27,800	27,142	658
MCU 149	14,355	14,355	9,121	3,538	1,696				
MCU 151	264,971	177,804	117,360	48,747	11,096	601	87,167	86,671	496

* Due to rounding, expenditures may not sum vertically.

* Totals include Field Offices which are not detailed in this table.

UNDUPLICATED PERSONS RECEIVING PURCHASED SOCIAL SERVICES* – STATE FISCAL YEAR, JULY – JUNE 1982

Region and Counties	Grand Total	ADULT PURCHASED			FAMILY PURCHASED	
		Total	Chore	Meals	Total	Day Care
STATE TOTALS†	20,630	9,242	5,958	4,144	11,388	9,069
ADAMS	452	169	125	105	283	258
BLAINE	10	10	7			
BOONE	67	53	47	15	14	14
BOX BUTTE	100	25	10	23	75	75
BUFFALO	535	139	113	49	396	374
BUTLER	73	54	35	24	19	13
CASS	109	58	26	51	51	51
CHASE	91	29	27	8	62	59
CHEYENNE	219	41	37	14	178	176
CLAY	94	33	28	9	61	55
CUSTER	196	113	81	41	83	73
DAKOTA	154	87	30	66	67	67
DAWES	156	46	27	28	110	110
DAWSON	383	282	217	147	101	97
DEUEL	17	4	2	2	13	11
DIXON	139	117	90	86	22	22
DODGE	252	99	75	5	153	146
DOUGLAS	7,140	2,465	1,337	799	4,675	2,821
FRANKLIN	52	40	29	24	12	9
FRONTIER	30	30	15	13		
FURNAS	63	43	32	31	20	19
GAGE	224	104	77	22	120	119
GARDEN	10	4	1	3	6	6
GARFIELD	8	6	6		2	2
GOSPER	23	15	14	10	8	8
GREELEY	35	31	22	17	4	3
HALL	697	321	189	199	376	373
HAMILTON	71	38	37	11	33	27
HARLAN	76	58	22	47	18	14
HOOKER	5	5	5			
HOWARD	85	55	34	36	30	28
JEFFERSON	95	51	48	5	44	41
JOHNSON	42	40	20	27	2	2
KEARNEY	62	39	39	15	23	21
KIMBALL	62	25	14	7	37	32
LANCASTER	2,249	873	535	292	1,376	1,316

Region and Counties	Grand Total	ADULT PURCHASED Total	Chore	Meals	FAMILY PURCHASED Total	Day Care
LINCOLN	505	150	91	86	355	332
LOGAN	14	3	3		11	11
LOUP	2	2	2			
MCPHERSON	2	2	1			
MERRICK	149	82	57	27	67	61
MORRILL	58	46	30	26	12	12
NANCE	56	51	41	1	5	3
NEMAHA	109	79	69	37	30	27
NUCKOLLS	90	48	35	21	42	38
OTOE	64	39	23		25	25
PAWNEE	49	33	10	28	16	16
PHELPS	68	32	22	19	36	33
PLATTE	200	76	67	14	124	123
RICHARDSON	235	165	79	102	70	54
SARPY	588	158	98	62	430	367
SAUNDERS	71	30	20	12	41	41
SCOTTS BLUFF	580	241	143	92	339	335
SHERIDAN	105	34	17	20	71	62
SHERMAN	109	98	55	84	11	10
SIOUX	3	1	1		2	2
THAYER	65	38	30	7	27	19
THOMAS	3	3	2	3		
THURSTON	206	101	36	84	105	29
VALLEY	87	66	38	52	21	20
WASHINGTON	157	87	73	44	70	70
WEBSTER	99	77	53	46	22	21
MCU 121	145	66	52	45	79	72
MCU 122	296	231	185	140	65	61
MCU 141	956	571	454	278	385	358
MCU 142	361	267	154	173	94	82
MCU 143	94	54	43		40	39
MCU 144	484	397	302	233	87	77
MCU 149	21	21	10	20		
MCU 151	523	291	209	157	232	227

† Field Offices not detailed in this table.

* Persons served through staff provided services not shown in this table.